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Ubulumko buka Yesu uNyana kaSirakhi



ISAHLUKO 1

1 Intshayelelo yoBulumko bukaYesu uNyana kaSiraki. Nangona izinto ezininzi nezinkulu zinikelwe kuthi ngomthetho nabaprofeti, nangabanye abathe balandela amanyathelo abo, ezo zinto uSirayeli ebemele ukunconywa ngazo ngenxa yokufunda nobulumko; ekuya kuthi ke kungengabafundi kuphela abamelwe kukuba nokuchwechwela, kodwa kwanabo bathanda ukufunda, babe nako ukubanceda abangaphandle, ngokuthetha nangokubhala: uYesu ubawomkhulu, akubon' ukuba unenzondelelo enkulu ekuleseni umthetho. , nabaprofeti, nezinye iincwadi zoobawo bethu, baza bazuza kuyo ugwebo olulungileyo, watsalelwa kuye ngokwakhe ukuba abhale into enxulumene nokufunda nobulumko; ukuze abo bathanda ukufunda, besebangakwazi ukuzibamba, bangenelwe ngakumbi ekuphileni ngokusemthethweni. Ke ngoko mandikubongoze ukuba uyifunde ngenceba nangengqiqo, usixolele, esinokubonakala ngathi asiphumeleli kumazwi athile, ebesibulaleke ngawo ukuwatolika. Kuba kwaezo zinto, zithethiswa ngesiHebhere, ziguqulelwe ngalwimi zimbi, azinamandla anjengazo zodwa, ingenguwo lo wodwa, ingumthetho ngokwawo, kwanabaprofeti, kwanezinye iincwadi, akungahlukanga. zithethwa ngolwimi lwazo. Kuba ngomnyaka wamashumi omathathu anesibhozo esiza eYiputa, oko engukumkani uEuergetes, esahlala khona ixesha elithile, ndafumana incwadi yemfundo engencinane; wasebenzisa ukuphaphatheka okukhulu nangokwazi kweso sithuba ukuyigqiba incwadi, wayixhobela kwaabo bathe bathanda ukufunda ezweni lasemzini, bexhobe ngenxa engaphambili ukuba baphile ngokomthetho. Bonke ubulumko buphuma kuYehova, bunaye ngonaphakade.

2 Ngubani na ongabala intlabathi yolwandle, namathontsi emvula, Nemihla kanaphakade?

3 Ngubani na ongakufumanayo ukuphakama kwezulu, nobubanzi behlabathi, nobunzulu, nobulumko?

4 Ubulumko benziwa phambi kweento zonke, nokuqonda kobuqili kwasephakadeni.

5 Lithende lobulumko ilizwi likaThixo osenyangweni; neendlela zabo yimithetho engunaphakade.

6 Ingcambu yobulumko ityhileke kubani na? Ngubani na owaziyo amaqhinga akhe?

7 Lwabonakaliswa kubani na ukwazi ubulumko? Ngubani na owazi ukuba namava akhe?

8 Kukho osisilumko, owoyikeka kakhulu, iNkosi ehleli etroneni yayo.

9 Wamdala, wambona, wambalela, wamthululela phezu kwayo yonke imisebenzi yakhe.

10 Yena ukunye nenyama yonke ngokwesipho sakhe, wabunika abo bamthandayo.

11 Ukoyika uYehova sisihombo, nesihombo, nemivuyo, nesithsaba sovuyo.

12 Ukoyika uYehova kuyenza ichwayithe intliziyo;

13 Owoyikayo uYehova uya kulungelwa ekupheleni; Uya kubabalwa ngomhla wokufa kwakhe.

14 Yingqalo yokulumka ukoyika uYehova;

15 Wakha isiseko esingunaphakade kunye namadoda, kwaye uya kuqhubeka nembewu yabo.

16 Ukumoyika uYehova kukuzala kobulumko;

17 Uwuzalisa indlu yabo yonke ngezinto ezinqwenelekayo, Noovimba ngongenisele lwakhe.

18 Ukoyika uYehova sisithsaba sobulumko; Ezi zinto ke zisisipho sikaThixo; yaye uya kuwenza avuye ngakumbi abo bamthandayo.

19 Ubulumko bunisa ubuqili, nokwazi ukuqonda, Bubaphakamise abo babubambayo.

20 Ingcambu yobulumko kukoyika uYehova, Nesebe lakho bubomi obude.

21 Ukoyika uYehova kuya kuqweqwedisa izono;

22 Indoda enomsindo ayinakugwetyelwa; ngokuba ukuphuphuma komsindo wakhe kukwaphuka kwakhe.

23 Ozeka kade umsindo ukhala okwexeshana, Emveni koko kuhluma uvuyo kuye.

24 Uya kuwafihla amazwi akhe, okwexeshana, nemilebe yomlomo wabaninzi ixela ubulumko bakhe.

25 Imizekeliso yokwazi isebuncwaneni bobulumko;

26 Ukuba ufuna ubulumko, gcina imiyalelo, kwaye iNkosi iya kukunika bona.

27 Kuba ukoyika uYehova bubulumko noqeqesho; Ukholo nolulamo luyolo lwakhe.

28 Musa ukukholosa ukoyika uYehova xa uhlwempuzekile, Ungaze uye kuye ngentliziyo embaxa.

29 Musa ukuba ngumhanahanisi emehlweni abantu;

30 Musa ukuziphakamisa, hleze uwe, uwuhlisele ihlazo umphefumlo wakho, aze uThixo azityhile iimfihlakalo zakho, akuwise phakathi ebandleni, ngokuba ungezanga enyameni ekoyikeni uYehova, uze nentliziyo yakho. uzele yinkohliso.

ISAHLUKO 2

1 Nyana wam, ukuba uza kukhonza iNkosi, lungiselela isihendo umphefumlo wakho.

2 Yilungise intliziyo yakho, uhlale uqinile, ungangxami ngexesha lobubi.

3 namathela kuye, ungangemki, Ukuze wande ekupheleni kwakho.

4 Yonke into ethwelwe phezu kwakho yamkele ngokuchwayitha, uze ube nomonde xa usuka wehlelwa bubuhlwempu.

5 Kuba igolide inyibilikiselwe emlilweni, namadoda anqwenelekayo ezikweni lobubi.

6 Kholwa kuye, wokunceda; Yilungelelanise indlela yakho, Ukhlose ngaye.

7 Nina nimoyikayo uYehova, lindelani inceba yakhe; kwaye musani ukutyeka, hleze niwe.

8 Nina nimoyikayo uYehova, kholwani yiyo; nomvuzo wenu awuyi kuphela.

9 Nina nimoyikayo uYehova, lindelani okulungileyo, novuyo nenceba engunaphakade.

10 Khangelani kwizizukulwana zasephakadeni, nibone; bakho bakholosa ngoYehova na, badane? Wahlala enkwantya na, washiywa? Ngubani na owakha wamdela, lowo umbizayo?

11 Kuba iNkosi inemfesane enkulu, inenceba, izeka kade umsindo, inemfesane kakhulu, ixolela izono, isindise ngexesha lembandezelo.

12 Yeha ke iintliziyo ezinxungupheleyo, nezandla ezityhfileyo, nomoni ohamba ngeendlela ezimbini!

13 Yeha, lowo utyhfileyo! kuba akakholwa; ngenxa yoko akayi kukhuselwa.

14 Yeha, nina niphelwe ngumonde! Niya kwenza ntoni na xa iNkosi yanivelela?

15 Abo bamoyikayo uYehova abaligcini ilizwi lakhe; yaye abamthandayo baya kuzigcina iindlela zakhe.

16 Abo bamoyikayo uYehova baya kufuna okulungileyo, okukholekileyo kuye; kwaye abo bamthandayo baya kuzaliswa ngumthetho.

17 Abamoyikayo uYehova baya kuyilungisa intliziyo yabo, Bawuthobe umphefumlo wabo phambi kwakhe;

18 besithi, Siya kuwela ezandleni zeNkosi, kungekhona ezandleni zabantu; kuba njengoko kunjalo ubungangamsha bayo, injalo inceba yayo.

ISAHLUKO 3

1 Ndiveni uyihlo, bonyana, nenze emveni koko, ukuze nisinde.

2 Ngokuba iNkosi imnike uzuko uyise phezu koonyana, Igunya likanina phezu koonyana.

3 Ombeka uyise ucamagushela izono zakhe;

4 Obeka unina unjengoziqwebela ubutyebi.

5 Obeka uyise uya kuba novuyo lwabantwana bakhe; yaye xa ethandaza uya kuviwa.

6 Ombeka uyise woba nemihla emininzi; ke yena othobelayo *kaNdikhoyo uya kuba yintuthuzelo kunina.

7 Omoyikayo uYehova uya kumbeka uyise, akhonze ooyise njengenkosi yakhe.

8 Beka uyihlo nonyoko, ngentetho nangesenzo, ukuze ube phezu kwakho intsikelelo evela kubo.

9 Kuba intsikelelo kayise iyazinzisa izindlu zabantwana; Ke sona isiqalekiso sikanina sinyothula iziseko.

10 Musa ukuqhayisa ngehlazo likayihlo; ngokuba ihlazo likayihlo aliluzuko kuwe.

11 Kuba uzuko lwendoda luvela kuyise; Nonina usisingcikivo kubantwana.

12 Nyana wam, mncede uyihlo ebudaleni bakhe, Ungamenza buhlungu yonke imihla yokudla kwakhe ubomi;

13 Ke ukuba ithe yaphelelwa yingqondo, monde naye; ungamdeli xa usenamandla onke.

14 Ngokuba ukuphumla kukayihlo akuyi kulityalwa;

15 Ngemini yosizi lwakho liya kukhunjulwa; nezono zakho ziya kunyibilika, njengomkhenkce ekufudumaleni.

16 Lowo ushiya uyise unjengomnyelisi; Omqumbisayo unina, uqalekisiwe;

17 Nyana wam, qhubela phambili nomsebenzi wakho unobulali; ngokunjalo uya kuba yintanda kulowo ucikidekileyo.

18 Okukhona umkhulu, kokukhona uzithobayo, kwaye uya kubabalwa phambi koYehova.

Baninzi abaphakamileyo, nabadumileyo; ke zona iimfihlelo zityhilekile abalulamileyo.

20 Ngokuba makhulu amandla kaYehova, Othobekileyo nguye obekekileyo.

21 Musa ukugxangela izinto ezikwenqabeleyo, musa ukugocagoca izinto ezingaphezu kwamandla akho.

22 Kodwa loo nto uyiyaqelweyo, yicinge ngokoyika wena;

23 Musa ukungxamela izinto ezingeyomfuneko;

24 Kuba baninzi abalahlekiswa kwawabo amampunge; Nenkolelo embi iwubhukuqile umgwebo wabo.

25 Ngaphandle kwamehlo woswela ukukhanya;

26 Intliziyo elukhuni yehlelwa bububi ekupheleni; nalowo uthanda ingozi uya kutshabalala kuyo.

27 Intliziyo elukhuni yodwa; ke yena ongendawo ufumba isono phezu kwesono.

28 Akukho kunyangwa eludleni lwabazidlayo; ngokuba isityalo sobutshijolo similisele kuye.

29 Intliziyo enengqondo iqonda umzekeliso; Nendlebe evayo umnqweno wesilumko.

30 Amanzi aya kuwucima umlilo odangazelayo; amalizo wenza ucamagushelo lwezono.

31 Lowo ubuyisela okulungileyo ukhumbule oko kuya kubakho emva koko; xa ithe yawa, yafumana indawo yokuhlala.

ISAHLUKO 4

1 Nyana wam, musa ukusiqhatha isisweli endleleni yakhe, ungalithezi ixesha olihlwempu.

2 Musa ukuwenza buhlungu umphefumlo ulambileyo; ungamqumbi umntu ekubandezelekeni kwakhe.

3 Musa ukongeza ububi kwintliziyo etyumkileyo; nize ningalibali ukunika osweleyo.

4 Musa ukuwucekisa umthandazo wolusizana; ungabufulatheli ubuso bakho kwihlwempu.

5 Musa ukulisusa iliso lakho kwihlwempu, Ungaliniki na ithuba lokukuqalekisa;

6 Ngokuba xa athe wakushwabula ukrakra umphefumlo wakhe, woviwa umthandazo wakhe kuMenzi wakhe.

7 Ulithande ibandla, Uthoba intloko kwindoda enkulu.

8 Makungabi buhlungu kuwe ukuthobela indlebe yakho kwisisweli, Umphe impendulo ngokuthantamisayo.

9 Mhlanguleni ocinezelweyo esandleni somcudisi; musa ukuthamba ekuthetheni kwakho ekugwebeni.

10 Yiba njengoyise kwinkedama, esikhundleni sendoda kunina; uya kuba njengonyana wOsenyangweni, akuthande ngaphezu konyoko.

11 Ubulumko buyabaphakamisa abantwana babo, Bubambe abo babufunayo.

12 Lowo umthandayo uthanda ubomi; nabayingxameleyo kwakusasa baya kuzala luvuyo.

13 Owubambayo uya kulidla ilifa uzuko; kwaye naphina apho athe wangena, iNkosi yosikelela.

14 Abamlungiselelayo baya kulungiselela koyiNgcwele, nabamthandayo iNkosi iyabathanda.

15 Osibekelayo indlebe uya kugweba phakathi kweentlanga;

16 Ukuba indoda ithe yazinikela kuyo, yoyidla ilifa; Isizukulwana sakhe siya kuyidla ilifa.

17 Kuba ekuqaleni iya kuhamba naye ngeendlela ezigosogoso, imhlisele ukunkwanya nokunkwanya, imthuthumbise ngokoqeqesho, ide iwuthembe umphefumlo wayo, incikide ngemithetho yayo.

18 uya kubuya ngendlela eya kuye ngqo, amthuthuzele, ambonise ucweyo lwakhe.

19 Ke ukuba uthe wonakala, womshiya, amnikele eluphahleni lwakhe.

20 Qwalasela ithuba, ulumkele ububi; uze ungabi nazintloni kumphefumlo wakho.

21 Ngokuba kukho ukucezo oluzisa isono; kwaye kukho ihlazo uzuko nobabalo.

22 Musa ukuthabatha mntu ngokuchasene nomphefumlo wakho;

23 ungayeki ukuthetha, xa kufanelekile ukwenza okulungileyo, ungabufihli ubulumko bakho ebuhleni babo.

24 Kuba ubulumko bentetho buya kwazeka, nokufundiswa kwelizwi lolwimi.

25 Musani ukuthetha ngokuchasene nenyano; daniswani yimpazamo yokungazi kwenu.
 26 Musa ukuba nazintloni ukuzixela izono zakho; kwaye ungawunyanzelisi indlela yomlambo.
 27 Musa ukuzenza isicaka kwindoda esisinyabi; kananjalo musani ukukwamkela buso banamandla.
 28 Zamani inyaniso kude kuse ekufeni, kwaye iNkosi iya kukulwela.
 29 Musa ukungxama ngolwimi lwakho;
 30 Musa ukuba njengengonyama endlwini yakho, Ungahexi phakathi kwabakhonzi bakho.
 31 Masingasoluli isandla sakho ukuba samkele;

ISAHLUKO 5

1 Musa ukuyibekela ntliziyo impahla yakho; uze ungatsho ukuthi, Ndinokubulingana nobomi bam.
 2 Musa ukuyilandela ingqondo yakho namandla akho, Ukuhamba ngeendlela zentliziyo yakho.
 3 Musa ukuthi, Ngubani na oya kundibamba ngenxa yemisebenzi yam? ngokuba iNkosi iya kuphindezela ikratshi lakho.
 4 Musa ukuthi, Ndonile, ndehlelwa bububi buni na? ngokuba uYehova uzeka kade umsindo, akayi kukha akundulule.
 5 Ngokocamagusho, musani ukuba ngokoyika ukongeza isono kwisono;
 6 Ningathi, inceba yakhe inkulu; uya kucanyagushelwa ngenxa yobuninzi bezono zam; kuba kuphuma kuye inceba nengqumbo, nobushushu bakhe buphezu kwaboni.
 7 Musa ukuzilazila ubuyele kuYehova, ungazincama iimini ngeemini;
 8 Musa ukuyibekela intliziyo yakho entweni efunyenwe ngobugqwetha;
 9 Musa ukwela ngomoya wonke, ungangeni ngendlela yonke;
 10 Yima engqondweni yakho; ilizwi lakho malibe linye.
 11 Khawuleza ukuva; Umphefumlo wakho mawube msulwa; phendulani ngomonde.
 12 Ukuba unengqiqo, mphendule ummelwane wakho; ukuba akunjalo, beka isandla emlonyeni.
 13 Kuthetha isidima nokucukucezwa; Ke ulwimi lomntu sisikhubekiso sakhe.
 14 Musa ukubizwa ngokuba nguntlebi, okanye ulalele ngolwimi lwakho;
 15 Musani ukungazi nto kwenkulu nencinane.

ISAHLUKO 6

1 Endaweni yomhlobo musa ukuba lutshaba; kuba ngaloo nto uya kudla ilifa igama elibi, ihlazo, nongcikivo;
 2 Musa ukuziphakamisa ngecebo lentliziyo yakho; ukuze ungaqwengwa umphefumlo wakho, njengenkunzi yenkomo ilahleka iyodwa.
 3 Uya kuwadla amagqabi akho, ulahlekelwe ziziqhamo zakho, uzishiye njengomthi owomileyo.
 4 Umphefumlo ongendawo uyamonakalisa onawo, Umenze intlekisa iintshaba zawo.
 5 Ulwimi olumnandi lwandisa izihlobo;
 6 Hlala ngoxolo nabaninzi, ukanti abe mnye umcebisi kwabaliwaka.
 7 Ukuba uthe wafumana umhlobo, mmisele kuqala;

8 Kuba umntu usisihlobo ngenxa yakhe, Akayi kuhlala ngemini yobubi bakho.
 9 Kukho umhlobo ojikela ebutshaba; Ingxabano iya kutyhila ingcikivo yakho.
 10 Kananjalo isihlobo sibe lidlelane naye etafileni, Akayi kuhlala ngemini yembandezelo.
 11 Ekulungeni kwakho uya kuba njengawe, abe nesibindi kubakhonzi bakho.
 12 Ukuba uthe wathotywa, wochasa kuwe, azisithelise ebusweni bakho.
 13 Zahlule ezintshabeni zakho, Ubalumkele abakowenu.
 14 Umhlobo onyanisekileyo uligwiba elinamandla; Othe wafumana onjalo, ufumene ubutyebi.
 15 Umhlobo othembekileyo akamvumeli; Nobungangamela bakhe abunamsebenzi.
 16 Umhlobo othembekileyo liyeza lobomi; + yaye abo bamoyikayo uYehova baya kumfumana.
 17 Omoyikayo uYehova uya kulumisa ngokuthe tye ummelwane wakhe; Kuba njengoko anjalo yena, unjalo nommelwane wakhe.
 18 Nyana wam, hlanganisa uqeqesho kwasebuncinaneni bakho, Uya kubufumana ubulumko, use ebudaleni bakho.
 19 Yiza kuyo njengomlimi, kwaye uhlwayela, ulindele iziqhamo zayo ezilungileyo;
 20 Ubumnandi kakhulu kongenakwazi; Ongenangqondo akanakuhlala kuye.
 21 Ulala phezu kwakhe njengelitye elilalitye lokulingwa; kwaye uya kumlahla kuyo, kungekahambi ixesha elide.
 22 Kuba ubulumko bungokwegama lakhe, kwaye abubonakali kwabaninzi.
 23 Phulaphula, nyana wam, lamkele icebiso lam, Ungaliyeki icebiso lam;
 24 Uzifake iinyawo zakho emakhamangweni ayo, Nentamo yakho emakhamandleni ayo.
 25 Thoba igxalaba lakho, umthwale;
 26 Yiza kuyo ngentliziyo yakho yonke, Uzigcine iindlela zayo ngamandla akho onke.
 27 Phengulula, ufune,;
 28 Kuba wokufumana ukuphumla kokugqibela, kwaye oko kuya kujika kube luvuyo lwakho.
 29 Amakhamandela ayo abe ngumqwebedu kuwe, nemixokelelwane yayo ibe yingubo yokwaleka.
 30 Kuba izidanga zegolide phezu kwayo, nezintya zayo ziintya ezimfusa.
 31 umnxibe njengengubo yokwaleka, ube sisithsaba sovuyo kuwe.
 32 Nyana wam, ukuba uyathanda, uya kufundiswa; Ukuba uthe wanengqondo, woba nokuqiqa.
 33 Ukuba uthanda ukuva, wozuza ukuqonda; Ukuba uthe wathoba indlebe yakho, woba nobulumko;
 34 Yimani kwisihlelele samadoda amakhulu; unamathele kwingqondi.
 35 Kulungele ukuva zonke iintetho zobuthixo; mayingaphumi kuwe imizekeliso yengqondo.
 36 Ukuba ubona indoda enengqondo, hamba uye kuyo ngokukhawuleza, Lufake unyawo lwakho kwizinyuko zomnyango wayo.
 37 Ingqondo yakho mayibe kwimimiselo yeNkosi, Uyicamngca ngamaxesha onke emithethweni yakhe;

ISAHLUKO 7

1 Musa ukwenza ububi, ngokokuze kungabikho bubi.

2 Suka kwabangendawo, busuke ubugwenxa kuwe.
 3 Nyana wam, musa ukuhlwayela emiqeleni yobutshinga, Uze ungavuni kasixhenxe.
 4 Musa ukufuna ubungangamsha beNkosi, Nakukumkani isihlalo sozuko.
 5 Musa ukuzigwebela phambi kweNkosi; musa ukuqhayisa ngobulumko bakho phambi kokumkani.
 6 Musani ukufuna ukuba ngabagwebi, ningenako ukubususa ubugwenxa; Hleze woyike igorha, Isikhubekiso endleleni yokuthe tye kwakho.
 7 Musa ukuba nesono kwingxokolo yomzi;
 8 Musa ukubopha isono phezu komnye; ngokuba akusayi kuba msulwa.
 9 Musa ukuthi, UThixo uya kububona intabalala yeminikelo yam;
 10 Musani ukutha amandla xa sukuba uthandaza, ungakushiya ukwenza amalizo.
 11 Musani ukuhleka ugxeke umphefumlo wakhe ukrakra;
 12 Musa ukuyila ubuxoki ngomzalwana wakho; uze wenze okufanayo kumhlobo wakho.
 13 Musani ukwenza naluphi na uhlobo lobuxoki; kuba isiko labo alilungile.
 14 Musani ukusebenzisa amazwi amaninzi kwinyambalala yamadoda amakhulu;
 15 Musani ukuthiya umsebenzi obulalekayo, nantsimi ayimiselo Osenyangweni.
 16 Musa ukuzibala phakathi kwabaninzi aboni, kodwa khumbula ukuba ingqumbo ayihlali ixesha elide.
 17 Zithobeni kakhulu; kuba impindezelo yabangendawo ngumlilo neempethu.
 18 Musani ukumxolela; nomzalwana othembekileyo ngegolide yakwaOfire.
 19 Umfazi osisilumko nolungileyo, musa ukumyeka;
 20 Ekubeni esebenza enyanisekile umkhonzi wakho, musa ukumenzela ububi, nomqeshwa ozibophelelayo ngenxa yakho.
 21 Umphefumlo wakho umthande umkhonzi olungileyo, ungamqhathi ngokukhululekileyo.
 22 Unazo na iinkomo? zijonge; ukuba zingakunceda, zigcine kuwe.
 23 Unabo na abantwana? Baqeqeshe, uthobe iintamo zabo kwasebuncinaneni babo.
 24 Unazo na iintombi? wunyamekele umzimba wabo, ungaziqhayiseli ngabo.
 25 Zendisele intombi yakho, wenze into enzima; ke mnike indoda enengqondo.
 26 Unaye na umfazi ngokwentliziyo yakho? musa ukumshiya; musa ukuziyekela kumfazi olulamileyo.
 27 Beka uyihlo ngentliziyo yakho yonke, Ungabulibali umvandedwa kanyoko.
 28 Khumbula ukuba wazalwa ngabo; ungathini na ukubabuyekeza ngezinto abakwenzele zona?
 29 Uze umoyike uYehova ngomphefumlo wakho wonke, uhlonele ababingeleli bakhe.
 30 Mthande lowo wakwenzayo ngamandla akho onke, ungabashiya abalungiseleli bakhe.
 31 Moyikeni uYehova, nimbeke umbingeleli; umnike isabelo sakhe, njengoko wawiselwa umthetho ngako; neentlahlela, nedini letyala, nomnikelo wamagxa, nombingelelo ongcwele, neentlahlela zezinto ezingcwele.
 32 Kwaye wolule isandla sakho kumahlwempu, ukuze intsikelelo yakho ibe nokugqibelela.

33 Kubo bonke abadla ubomi, kukho isipho sebabalo; kwaye musa ukuyibamba ngabafileyo.
 34 Musa ukusilela ukuba kunye nabalilayo, nikhe ndimbambazele nabenza isijwili.
 35 Musani ukucotha ukuvelela abagulayo; kuba oko kuya kukwenza ube yintanda.
 36 Yonke into othe waphatha ngesandla sakho, khumbula isiphelo, ungaze ulahleke.

ISAHLUKO 8

1 Musa ukubambana negorha, Hleze uwele esandleni sayo.
 2 Musa ukuxabana nomntu osisityebi, hleze sikutyebe;
 3 Musa ukubambana nomntu ontetho inzulu, Ungafumbi iinkuni emlilweni wakhe.
 4 Musa ukuqhudelana nendoda ekrwada, Hleze bahlazeke ooyihlo.
 5 Musa ukungcika umntu obuyayo esonweni; khumbula ukuba sonke sifanelwe sisohlwayo.
 6 Musa ukuhlazisa umntu ekwaluphaleni kwakhe;
 7 Musa ukuvuyiswa lutshaba lwakho olukhulu lufileyo, kodwa khumbula ukuba siyafa sonke.
 8 Musa ukuyidela intetho yezilumko; Yiqhelanise nemizekeliso yazo;
 9 Musa ukuyiphosa intetho yamadoda amakhulu, kuba wona afunda kooyise;
 10 Musa ukuwatshisa amalahle omoni, Hleze uvuthe ngamalangatye omlilo wakhe.
 11 Musa ukuphakama ubushushu ebusweni bomoni, Hleze akulalele, akubambise ngamazwi akho.
 12 Musa ukumboleka lowo unamandla kunawe; kuba xa uthe wamboleka, yibalele yodwa.
 13 Musa ukuba ngummeli phezu kwamandla akho;
 14 Musani ukuya kumangalelana nomgwebi; ngokuba baya kumgweba ngokozuko lwakhe.
 15 Musa ukuhamba ngendlela enomntu olurharha, hleze abe buhlungu kuwe;
 16 Musa ukubambana nomntu onomsindo, Ungahambi naye endaweni eyintlango, ngokuba igazi linjengento engento emehlweni akhe;
 17 Musa ukucebisana nesinyabi; ngokuba akanako ukugcina icebo.
 18 Musa ukwenza into efihlakeleyo phambi kolunye uhlanga; ngokuba akuyazi into aya kukuvelisela.
 19 Musa ukuyivula intliziyo yakho kumntu wonke, Hleze akubuyisele ngobuqhetseba.

ISAHLUKO 9

1 Musa ukumkhweletela umfazi wesifuba sakho;
 2 Musa ukumnika umphefumlo wakho inkazana ukuba abeke unyawo lwakhe phezu kwempahla yakho.
 3 Musa ukudibana nehenyukazi, Ukuba uwele emigibeni yalo.
 4 Musa ukulisebenzisa kakhulu igunya lemvumi, Hleze ubanjwe neenzame zayo.
 5 Musa ukuyikhangela intombi, hleze iwele kwizinto ezinqabileyo zayo.
 6 Musa ukuwunikela umphefumlo wakho kumahenyukazi, Ukuze ungalahlekelwa lilifa lakho.
 7 Musa ukukhangela ngakuwe ezitratweni zomzi, Musa ukubhadula emanxuwani awo.

8 Lisuse iliso lakho kwinzwakazi, ungakhangele ubunzwakazi bomnye; kuba abaninzi bakhohliswe bubuhle bomfazi; ngokuba uthando luvutha oko njengomlilo;
 9 Musa ukuhlala nomfazi wenye indoda, ungahlali ewolweni naye, ungasidleli imali yakho ewayinini; Hleze ithekelele kuyo intliziyo yakho, Uwe esihogweni ngomnqweno wakho.
 10 Musa ukumlahla umhlobo omdala; kuba le intsha ayifani naye; isihlobo esitsha sinjengewayini entsha; wakuba mkhulu, uya kuyisela ukholisekile.
 11 Musa ukulumonela uzuko lomoni; Kuba akuyazi into eya kuba yiyo isiphelo sakhe.
 12 Musa ukuyoliswa zizinto ezingahloneli Thixo; kodwa khumbula abayi kuhamba bengenakohlwaywa engcwabeni labo.
 13 Zikhwelelise kude kwindoda enegunya lokubulala; ukuze ungathandabuzi kukoyika ukufa; ukuba uthe wafika kuye, musa ukuba natyala, hleze awuthabathe kwangoku umphefumlo wakho;
 14 Mqikelele ummelwane wakho ngokusondeleyo, ubhunga nezilumko.
 15 Ukuthetha kwakho makube nezilumko, Nomlomo wakho ube semyalelweni wOsenyangweni.
 16 Kwaye amadoda angamalungisa makadle asele nawe; Uzuko lwakho malube kukoyika uYehova.
 17 Kuba isandla sengcibi siya kuncomeka umsebenzi lowo; Umlawuli olumkileyo ebantwini ngenxa yokuthetha kwakhe.
 18 Indoda elwimi inobubi uyingozi emzini wayo; Ongxamayo ngentetho uthiye.

ISAHLUKO 10

1 Umgwebi olumkileyo uyabaqeqesha abantu bakhe; nolawulo lwendoda enobuqili lucwangcisiwe.
 2 Njengomgwebi ebantwini, zinjalo ababhali bakhe; Unjani na umntu ophethe umzi, banjalo bonke abemi bawo.
 3 Ukumkani ongenabulumko uyabatshabalalisa abantu bakhe; Umzi lowo uya kumiwa ngengqiqo yabo banegunya.
 4 Amandla omhlaba asesandleni sikaYehova, yaye ngexesha elililo uya kumisa phezu kwawo lowo uyingenelo.
 5 Impumelelo yomntu isesandleni sikaThixo; Ke yena umbhali ubeka uzuko lwakhe.
 6 Musa ukubamba intiyo kummelwane wakho ngenxa yobugwenxa bonke; ningenzi nto nganto imbi.
 7 Ikratshi lilisikizi emehlweni kaThixo nakubantu;
 8 Ngenxa yezenzo ezingezozabulungisa, ukwenzakala, nobutyebi obufunyenwe ngenkohliso, ubukumkani buguqulelwa kwabanye abantu.
 9 Kutheni umhlaba nothuthu ziqhayisa? Akukho nto imbi ngaphezu komntu obawayo; kuba onjalo uthengisa ngomphefumlo wakhe; ngokuba uhlala esidla izibilini zakhe.
 10 Ugqirha ugqiba ixesha elide; lowo ungukumkani namhlanje uya kufa.
 11 Ngokuba xa umntu efile, uya lidla ilifa izinambuzane, nezinto ezizitho zine, neempethu.
 12 Ingqalo yokukhukumala kuxa ubani emka kuThixo, Intliziyo yakhe imke kuMenzi wakhe.
 13 Ngokuba ikratshi kungqalo lwesono; lowo unalo uya kumpompoza amasikizi;
 14 INkosi izigungxule iitrone zabathetheli abanekratshi, imise abalulamileyo esikhundleni sabo.

15 INkosi yam izinyothule iingcambu zeentlanga ezizidlalo, yabatyala abathobekileyo ezindaweni zabo.
 16 UYehova wazibhukuqa iintlanga, Waziphanzisa kwiziseko zehlabathi.
 17 Wayithabatha inxenyekubo, wayitshabalalisa;
 18 Akubangakho ikratshi ebantwini;
 19 Abo bamoyikayo uYehova bayimbewu yenyano, abamthandayo basityalo esibekekileyo; abo bagqithayo imithetho bayimbewu ekhohlisayo.
 20 Ongameleyo yingangamsha yabazalwana; banjalo ke abamoyikayo uYehova emehlweni akhe.
 21 Ukoyika uYehova kukhokela igunya; Ke uburhalarhume nokukratsha yintshabalalo yako.
 22 Nokuba usisityebi, nokuba usidwangube, nokuba ulihlwempu, uzuko lwabo kukoyika uYehova.
 23 Akulungile ukudelwa isisweli esinengqondo; kananjalo ukukhulisa umntu onesono akufanelekile.
 24 Amadoda amakhulu, nabagwebi, nabanegunya, baya kunikwa imbeko; ukanti akukho bani mkhulu kubo njengowoyika uYehova.
 25 Isicaka esisisilumko siyasikhonza esikhululekileyo;
 26 Musani ukuba ziingcaphephe ekushishineni kwenu; musa ukuqhayisa ngexesha lembandezelo yakho.
 27 Ulungile lowo ubulalekayo, ephuphuma iinto zonke, kunokuba oqhayisayo, eswele isonka.
 28 Nyana wam, wuzukise umphefumlo wakho ngobulali, kwaye uwunike imbeko ngokwesidima sawo.
 29 Ngubani na ongamgwebelayo owonileyo umphefumlo wakhe? Ngubani na oya kumbeka obeka ubomi bakhe?
 30 Ihlwempu liyazukiswa ngokwazi kwalo; nesityebi siyazukiswa ngobutyebi baso.
 31 Obekekileyo eswele, wobeka phi na ke yena ngobutyebi? Ke yena oswele ubutyebi, wobeka phi na ke ebuhlwempu?

ISAHLUKO 11

Ubulumko buphakamisa intloko yomntu othobekileyo, bumenze ahlale phakathi kwabakhulu.
 2 Musa ukuyincoma indoda ngobuhle bayo; yaye ungamcekisi umntu ngembonakalo yakhe yangaphandle.
 3 Inyosi incinane phakathi kwempukane; Ke sona isiqhamo sawo siyintloko yezinto ezinencasa.
 4 Musa ukuqhayisa ngesambatho sakho nangesambatho sakho, ungazigwagwisi ngemini yozuko;
 5 Kuhleli ookumkani abaninzi emhlabeni; kwaye lowo bekungacingelwanga nto uye wathwala isithsaba.
 6 Ahlazekele kunene amagorha amaninzi; ababekekileyo babanikela ezandleni zabanye abantu.
 7 Musa ukugxeka ungekayigocagoci inyaniso; qonda kuqala, wandule ke ukukhalimela.
 8 Musa ukuphendula ungekayiva imbambano leyo, Ungamphazamisi umntu ekuthetheni kwakhe.
 9 Musa ukubambana nomthetho kambe; ungahlali ematyaleni kunye naboni.
 10 Nyana wam, musa ukuzifaka kwizinto ezininzi; ukuba uthe walandela, akuyi kufumana, akuyi kusinda ngokusaba.
 11 Kukho obulalekayo, obulalekayo, ongxamayo, osemva kokukhona.
 12 Kukho omnye ozeka kade, oswele uncedo, eswele amandla, eswele intliziyo; Kanti iliso likaYehova lamkhangela okulungileyo, wamphakamisa ebuphantsini bakhe.

13 Wayiphakamisa intloko yakhe ebugxwayibeni; ngokokude abaninzi abakubonayo bamangaliswa nguye.
 14 Ubutyebi nobubi, ubomi nokufa, nobuhlwempu nobutyebi, zivela kuYehova.
 15 Ubulumko, nokwazi, nokuqonda umyalelo, kuphuma eNkosini;
 16 Ilahleko nobumnyama buqale kuboni, buya konakala ububi, kwanabazidlayo kubo.
 17 Isipho sikaYehova sihlala kowenceba, Nenceba yakhe ingunaphakade.
 18 Kukho ozenza isityebi ngobukroti bakhe, nangokuxinwa kwakhe;
 19 ekubeni esithi, Ndifumene ukuphumla, ngoku ndiya kuhlala ndisidla empahleni yam; ukanti akalazi ixesha eliya kufika phezu kwakhe, nokokuba umele aziyekele kwabanye ezo zinto, aze afe.
 20 20 Zizimase emnqophisweni wakho, Uhambe ngawo, Uweyise emsebenzini wakho.
 21 Musani ukumangaliswa yimisebenzi yaboni; Ke wena kholosa ngoYehova, uhlale ekubulalekeni kwakho; kuba kulula emehlweni kaYehova ukulenza isityebi ihlwempu ngesiqophe.
 22 Intsikelelo kaYehova isemvuzweni welungisa, Ayiqhayise ngesiqophe intsikelelo yakhe.
 23 Musa ukuthi, Kukho nzuzo yani na elulungiselelweni lwam? ziziphi na izinto ezilungileyo endiya kuba nazo emva koku?
 24 Kananjalo musa ukuthi, Ndihluthi, ndinezinto ezininzi;
 25 Ngomhla wentsikelelo kukho ukuzilibala iintsizi;
 26 Kuba kuyinto elula kuYehova ngomhla wokufa ukubuyisela umntu ngokweendlela zakhe.
 27 Imbandezelo yelixa imenza umntu alibale ngobumnandi, Ke ekupheleni kwakhe kutyhileke izenzo zakhe.
 28 Musa ukugweba namnye usikelelweyo engekafi; ngokuba umntu wazisa koonyana bakhe.
 29 Musani ukubangenisa elowo endlwini yakho;
 30 Njengesikhwatsha esithatyathwa sivalelwe, sivalelwe, Injalo intliziyo yabazidlayo; njengentlola uya kuphaphela ukuwa kwakho;
 31 Kuba yena uyalalela, aguqule okulungileyo kube kokubi, kwaye ngezinto ezifanelekileyo indumiso iya kukumangalela.
 32 Elangatheni lomlilo kuphenjwa imfumba yamalahle; Umntu ongumoni ulalela igazi.
 33 Yilumkele indoda enobutshinga, ngokuba ingunotshi; hleze abeke phezu kwakho isiphako esingunaphakade.
 34 Mamkele owasempini endlwini yakho, wokukhwankqisa, akujike kweyakho.

ISAHLUKO 12

1 Xa uthe wenza okulungileyo, kwazi lowo ukwenzayo; ngoko uya kubulelwa uncedo lwakho.
 2 Yenza okulungileyo kwilungisa, woyihlawulela imbuyekezo; nokuba akuphumi kuye, noko uvela kOsenyangweni.
 3 Lowo uhlala ephethe ububi, akanakufikelwa okulungileyo, nalowo ungasindiyo.
 4 Mphe ilungisa, ungamncedi umoni.
 5 Yenza okulungileyo kosweleyo, kodwa umnike ongendawo; sibambe isonka sakho, ungamniki, hleze akongamele ngaso; kuba uya kwamkela ububi

obuphindiweyo ngenxa yezinto zonke ezilungileyo obuya kuba nazo. kwenziwe kuye.
 6 Kuba Osenyangweni ubathiyile aboni, abaphindezele impindezelo abangahloneli Thixo, abagcinele imini yokuvelela kwabo;
 7 Nika olungileyo, ungamncedi umoni.
 8 Umhlobo akanakwaziwa ngenyaniso; Utshaba alunakusithela embandezelweni.
 9 Eluxolweni lomntu, iintshaba ziyaxhwaleka;
 10 Musa ukukholosa ngotshaba lwakho; Kunjengomhlwa kwesinyithi, kunjalo ububi babo.
 11 Nokuba uthe wazithoba, waqubuda, kodwa umgcine, umlumkele, ube njengosula iglasi kuye, wazi ukuba awucinywanga kwaphela umhlwa wakhe.
 12 Musa ukummisa ngakuwe, hleze athi, ekukuwisele phantsi, eme endaweni yakho; angahlali ngasekunene kwakho, hleze afune ukukuthabatha, uze ude ukhumbule amazwi am, uhlatywe ngawo.
 13 Ngubani na ongamhawukela umkhafuli olunywe yinyoka, nosukuba esondela kumarhamncwa?
 14 Othe waya kumoni, wazenza inqambi ngaye esonweni sakhe, ngubani na oya kumhawukela?
 15 Wohlala nawe okwethutyana; kodwa ukuba uthe waqala ukuwa, akalibali.
 16 Utshaba luthetha kamnandi ngomlomo walo, Ke entliziyweni yalo lucamanga ukukuphosa emhadini; Lilila ngamehlo alo;
 17 Ukuba uthe wafikelwa bububi, womfumana khona kuqala; nokuba ungathi uyakunceda, wosuka akwenzelelele.
 18 Uya kuhlunguzela intloko, abethe izandla, asebeze kakhulu, abutshintshe ubuso bakhe.

ISAHLUKO 13

1 Lowo uchukumisa itela woba yinqambi ngayo; nodlelana nendoda enekratshi, uya kuba njengaye.
 2 Musa ukuzicinezela ngaphezu kwamandla akho ngoxa usadla ubomi; Uze ungabi nabudlelane nalowo unamandla, usisityebi kunawe; ukuba omnye uthe wambetha omnye, wophuka.
 3 Isityebi senile, sibe sisongela;
 4 Ukuba uthe wamlungela, wókusebenzisa wena;
 5 Ukuba uthe wananto, wohlala nawe, Akuhlube, angabi nasizi ngenxa yayo.
 6 Ukuba uthe wakufuna, wokulukuhla, akuncumele, akubeke ethembeni; Yena wothetha kakuhle, athi, Ufuna ntoni na?
 7 Wokuhlazisa ekutyeni kwakhe, ade akurhole kabini, kube kathathu, akuhlekeze emveni koko, akukubona akushiye, akuhlunguzelele intloko.
 8 Lumka, ungalahlekiswa, uthotywe ngovuyo lwakho.
 9 Ukuba uthe wamenywa ligorha, zimise; wobeka phi na ke ukukumema.
 10 Musa ukumxina, hleze ubuye umva; musa ukuma kude, hleze ulityalwe.
 11 Musa ukulingana naye ngentetho, Ungakholwa kumazwi akhe amaninzi;
 12 Ke yena uya kuwahlanganisa ngokurhabaxa amazwi akho, angakucongikwenza ububi, akufake entolongweni.
 13 Khangela, uzicine, ngokuba uhamba ngomngcipheko wokubhukuqwa.
 14 Uze umthande uYehova ubomi bakho bonke, Ubize usindiso lwakho kuye.

15 Yonke into ezitho zine ithanda ukufana nayo, nalowo uthanda ummelwane wakhe.
 16 Yonke inyama idlelana ngokwenceba, nomntu uya kunamathela kokufana nayo.
 17 Inabubudlelane buni na ingcuka nemvana? unjalo ke umoni kunye nomntu ozinikeleyo.
 18 Sisiphi isivumelwano esikhoyo phakathi kwengcuka nenja? luluphi uxolo phakathi kwesityebi namahlwempu?
 19 Njengeesile lasendle, lilixhoba lengonyama entlango;
 20 Njengoko ikratshi liyithiyile intobeko;
 21 Isityebi siqala ukukhubeka, sibambelela kubahlobo baso;
 22 Xa sithe sawa isityebi, siba nabancedi abaninzi; wathetha ngobulumko, akabi nandawo.
 23 Sakubon' ukuba sithetha isityebi, elowo ubamba ulwimi lwakhe; nokuba uthe wakhubeka, ziya kumbhukuqa.
 24 Ubutyebi bulungile kongenasono; Ke ubuhlwempu bububi emlonyeni wongendawo.
 25 Intliziyo yomntu iyabuguqula ubuso bakhe, bwalungisa, nokuba bububi;
 26 Ubuso obuvuyileyo bungumqondiso wentliziyo echumileyo; kanti ke ukufumanisa imizekeliso kungumsebenzi onzima wengqondo.

ISAHLUKO 14

1 Hayi, uyolo lomntu ongakhubekiyo ngomlomo, Ongahlahlelwanga ngobuninzi bezono!
 2 Unoyolo lowo isazela sakhe singamgwebanga, Ongayekanga ekuthembeni kwakhe eNkosini.
 3 Ubutyebi abumfanele umntu oxhwalekileyo;
 4 Owubuthayo, ewuqhatha umphefumlo wakhe, ubuthela abanye;
 5 Ongendawo kuye, uya kulunga kubani na? akayi kukholiswa zizinto zakhe.
 6 Akukho mbi ngaphezu komona ngesiqu sakhe; kwaye oku kuyimbuyekezo yobubi bakhe.
 7 Ukuba uthe wenza okulungileyo, akonanga; yaye ekugqibeleni uya kubuxela ububi bakhe.
 8 Indoda enomona iliso elibi; Uyabujika ubuso bakhe, abaginye abantu.
 9 Iliso lomntu ubawayo alihluthi sisabelo sakhe; Ubugwenxa bongendawo buyawomisa umphefumlo wakhe.
 10 Iliso elingendawo liyasimonela isonka sakhe, Unguruma etafileni yakhe.
 11 Nyana wam, yenza okulungileyo kuwe ngokwakho, ngokwamandla akho, uyinike iNkosi umnikelo wayo oyimfanelo.
 12 Khumbula ukuba ukufa akuyi kulibazisa ukufika, nokuba umnqophiso wengcwaba awuzange uboniswe kuwe.
 13 Umenzele okulungileyo ummelwane wakho, engekafi;
 14 Musa ukuyiqhatha ngemini yenceba, Ungakugqithisi umnqweno olungileyo.
 15 Akuyi kuyiyekela omnye na imbandezelo yakho? Ukuxelenga kwakho kwabiwe ngamaqashiso na?
 16 Nika, uthabathe, uwungcwalise umphefumlo wakho; ngokuba akukho kufunwa izimuncumuncu kwelabafileyo.
 17 Yonke inyama yonakele njengengubo;
 18 Njengamagqabi aluhlaza emthini oshinyeneyo, abanye bayawa, abanye bayakhula; sinjalo isizukulwana senyama negazi: omnye uya ekupheleni, aze omnye azalwe.
 19 Wonke umsebenzi uyabola udliwe, nomsebenzi wawo uya kuhamba kunye nawo.

20 Hayi, uyolo lomntu ocamanga okulungileyo ngobulumko, Oqiqa izinto ezingcwele ngengqondo yakhe!
 21 Oziqiqayo iindlela zakhe entliziweni yakhe, Uya kuqiqa nocweyo lwakhe.
 22 Mlandele njengomkhondo, Ulalele ezindleleni zakhe.
 23 Ongena ezifistileni zakhe, Uya kuphulaphula iingcango zayo.
 24 Ohlala ngasendlwini yakhe wobethelela isikhonkwane eludongeni lwayo.
 25 Uya kuyigxumeka intente yakhe kufuphi naye, alale endlwini apho kulungileyo;
 26 Abantwana bakhe ibabeke phantsi kwentente yakhe, Balale phantsi kwamasebe awo.
 27 Uya kugutyungelwa bubushushu, ahlale ebuqaqawulini bakhe.

ISAHLUKO 15

1 Omoyikayo uYehova uya kwenza okulungileyo; Owaziyo umyalelo uya kufumana kuye.
 2 Kwaye uya kumkhawulela njengonina, aze amamkele njengomfazi ogane intombi enyulu.
 3 Uya kumdlisa ngesonka sokuqiqa, Amseze amanzi obulumko.
 4 Uya kubambelela kuyo, angashukumi; Wayama ngayo, angadani.
 5 Uya kumphakamisa ngaphezu kwabamelwane bakhe, avule umlomo wakhe esazulwini sebandla.
 6 Uya kufumana imihlali nesithsaba sovuyo, amdise ilifa legama elingunaphakade.
 7 Ke abantu abaziziyatha akayi kufika kuyo, naboni abayi kumbona.
 8 Ngokuba kukude nekratshi;
 9 Indumiso ayifanelekanga emlonyeni womoni, kuba ayithunywanga nguYehova.
 10 Kuba kumenyezwa ngobulumko, uYehova uya kuyiphumelelisa.
 11 Musa ukuthi, Ndaphambuka eNkosini;
 12 Musa ukuthi, Undilahlekisile;
 13 INkosi iwathiyile onke amasikizi; Abamoyikayo uThixo abamthandi.
 14 Yena owadala umntu kwasekuqalekeni, wamshiya esandleni secebo lakhe;
 15 Ukuba uyathanda ukuyigcina imithetho, wenze ukuthembeka okwamkelekileyo.
 16 Ubeke umlilo namanzi phambi kwakho;
 17 Phambi komntu kukho ubomi nokufa; nokuba uthanda, uya kunikwa.
 18 Kuba ubulumko bukaYehova bukhulu, unamandla amakhulu, ozibona zonke izinto;
 19 Amehlo akhe aphezu kwabo bamoyikayo, Uyazazi zonke izenzo zomntu.
 20 Akawisele umthetho wokuba enze okungendawo, akavumanga nokuba nabani na enze isono.

ISAHLUKO 16

1 Musa ukunqwenela inkitha yabantwana abangancedi lutho, unganqweneli ngabantwana abangahloneli Thixo.
 2 Nokuba bathe banda, musani ukubavuyelela, Ngaphandle kokuba ukoyika uYehova kubekho kubo.

3 Musa ukukholosa ngobomi babo, ungasikhathaleli ingxokolo yabo; kulunge kanye ukufa ungenabantwana, kunokuba uswele uThixo.

4 Ngokuba umzi uya kuzaliswa ngonengqondo; Ke umzi wabangendawo uya kuphanziswa ngokukhawuleza.

5 Zininzi izinto ezinjalo endizibonileyo emehlweni am, nendlebe yam ivile izinto ezinkulu kunezi.

6 Ebandleni labangendawo kuya kuphenjwa umlilo; kuhlanga oluneenkani kuphenjwa umlilo.

7 Akazange axole kumagorha amadala, awawayo ngamandla obudenge bawo.

8 akayiconga indawo awayephambukele kuyo uLote, wanenyanya ngabo ngenxa yekratshi labo.

9 Akabaconganga ke abantu abatshabalalayo, ababesuswe ezonweni zabo;

10 kwanamakhulu amathandathu amawaka omqikela, ababehlanganisene ngobulukhuni beentliziyo zabo.

11 Ke ukuba umntu uthe waba ntamo lukhuni ebantwini, kuyinto engummangaliso ukuba abaleke, abe yena engenatyala. unamandla okuxolela, nokuphalaza ingqumbo.

12 Njengoko inceba yakhe inkulu, kunjalo kanjalo uqeqesho lwakhe;

13 Akasindi umoni kunye nexhoba lakhe;

14 Wulungiseni wonke umsebenzi wenceba; kuba elowo uya kufumana ngokwemisebenzi yakhe.

15 UYehova wamenza lukhuni uFaro, ukuba angamazi, ukuze yaziwe ehlabathini imisebenzi yakhe yamandla.

16 Imfesane yakhe ibonakala kuyo yonke indalo; wahlula ukukhanya kwakhe nobumnyama ngedayimani.

17 Musa ukuthi, Ndiya kuzifihla kuYehova; Wondikhumbula na phezulu? Andisayi kukhunjulwa phakathi kwabantu abaninzi: kuba uyintoni umphefumlo wam phakathi kwenani elingenasiphelo lezidalwa?

18 Yabona, izulu, nezulu lawo amazulu, nenzulu, nehlabathi, neento zonke ezikhona, liya kushukunyiswa ekuveleni kwakhe;

19 Iintaba neziseko zehlabathi ziyanyikima, xa uYehova ebona.

20 Akukho ntliziyo ithe tye ngokwezi zinto; ngubani na onokuziqonda iindlela zakhe?

21 Luqhwithela olungabonwa mntu, kuba ifihlakele inkoliso yemisebenzi yakhe.

22 Ngubani na onokuzixela izenzo zobulungisa bakhe? ngubani na onokuzinyamezela? ngokuba usekude umnqophiso wakhe, ukucikideka kweento zonke kuphele.

23 Oswele ingqondo ucingela into engento;

24 Ndiphulaphuleni, nyana wam, ufunde ukwazi, Uwagqale ngentliziyo yakho amazwi am.

25 Ndiya kumvakalisa imfundiso ngomlinganiselo, Ndilubonise ulwazi lwakhe ngokuthe tye.

26 Imisebenzi kaNdikhoyo isenziwe ngomgwebo kwasekuqaleni;

27 Wayivathisa imisebenzi yakhe kude kuse ephakadeni, Nesandla sakhe siyintlahlela kuzo zonke izizukulwana;

28 Akukho namnye uthintelayo kubo, ukuba bangawexuli amazwi akhe.

29 Emva koko iNkosi yajonga emhlabeni, yaza yawuzalisa ngeentsikelelo zayo.

30 Ibugubungele ubuso bayo ngeento zonke eziphilileyo; kwaye baya kubuyela kuyo kwakhona.

ISAHLUKO 17

1 UYehova wamdala umntu ehlabathini, wambuyisela kulo.
2 Wabanika iintsuku ezimbalwa, nethutyana, kwanegunya phezu kwezinto ezikuyo.

3 Wabomeleza, bebodwa, Wabenza ngokomfanekiso wakhe;

4 Wabeka ukoyika umntu phezu kwenyama yonke, wamnika ubukhosi ezinkomeni nasezintakeni.

5 Bafumana ukusetyenziswa kwemisebenzi emihlanu yeNkosi, waza endaweni yesithandathu wabanika ukuqonda, kwaye kwintetho yesixhenxe, itoliki yeengcinga zayo.

6 Wabanika icebo, nolwimi, namehlo, neendlebe, nentliziyo.

7 Wazalisa ke ngokwazi ukuqonda, ebonisa okulungileyo nokubi.

8 Wazimilisela iliso lakhe ezintliziyweni zabo, Ukuba ababonise ubukhulu bezenzo zakhe.

9 Wabanikela ukuba bazukise ngemisebenzi yakhe ebalulekileyo, Ukuze bazixele izenzo zakhe ngokuqonda.

10 Kwaye abanyuliweyo baya kulidumisa igama lakhe elingcwele.

11 Ngaphandle koko wabanika ukwazi, nomyalelo wobomi waba lilifa.

12 Wenza nabo umnqophiso ongunaphakade, Wabazisa imigwebo yakhe.

13 Amehlo abo abubona ubungangamsha bobuqaqawuli bakhe, neendlebe zabo zaliva izwi lobungangamsha bakhe.

14 Wathi ke kubo, Kulumkeleni konke ukungalungisi; wawisa umthetho elowo ngommelwane wakhe.

15 Iindlela zabo ziphambi kwakhe ngamaxesha onke, aziyi kufihlakala emehlweni akhe.

16 Umntu wonke kwasebutsheni bakhe uzinikele ububi; kananjalo babengenakwenza kubo iintliziyo ezizezenyama ngenxa yamatye.

17 Kuba umise umlawuli phezu kwezizwe zonke zehlabathi; ke uSirayeli sisabelo sikaYehova.

18 Yena uthi, engowamazibulo, amkhulise ngengqeqesho, aze angamshiya ukukhanya kothando lwakhe.

19 Ngako oko zonke izenzo zabo zinjengelinga phambi kwakhe, namehlo akhe ahleli ezindleleni zabo.

20 Zonke izenzo zabo ezigwenxa azisitheleli kuye; zonke izono zabo ziphambi koYehova

21 Kodwa iNkosi, ikubabala, iwazi umsebenzi wayo, ayibashiyanga, ayibashiyanga;

22 Ububele bomntu bunjengomsesane wokutywina kuye, azigcine izenzo ezilungileyo zomntu njengokhozo lweliso, azinike inguquko koonyana bakhe neentombi zakhe.

23 Emveni koko uya kuvuka, abavuze, Akubuyisele ukuphatha kwabo entlokweni yabo.

24 Kodwa kwabo baguqukayo, wabavumela ukuba babuye, kwaye wabathuthuzela abo basilelayo kumonde.

25 Buyela kuYehova, uzilahle izono zakho;

26 Buyela kOsenyangweni, ubuye ebugwenxeni; ngokuba uya kukukhupha ebumnyameni, akuse ekukhanyeni okuphilileyo, alithiye kabuhlungu.

27 Ngubani na ongamdumisayo Osenyangweni kwelabafileyo, esikhundleni sabahleliyo nababulelayo?

28 Kuphelile umbulelo kwabafileyo, njengokungekho;

29 Hayi, ukuba mkhulu kwenceba yeNkosi uThixo wethu, nemfesane yakhe kwabo baguqukela kuye ebungcweleni!

30 Kuba zonke izinto azinakuba sebantwini, kuba uNyana woMntu akanako ukungafi.

31 Yintoni na eqaqambe ngaphezu kwelanga? ukanti ukukhanya kwayo akufikanga; yaye inyama negazi ziya kucinga ububi.

32 Ulondela amandla okuphakama kwezulu; kwaye bonke abantu bangumhlaba nothuthu.

ISAHLUKO 18

1 Lowo udla ubomi ngonaphakade, Wadala zonke izinto ngokubanzi.

2 NguYehova yedwa olilungisa, akukho wumbi ngaphandle kwakhe;

3 Lowo ulawula elimiweyo ngesandla sakhe, kwaye zonke izinto zikwenza ukuthanda kwakhe;

4 Ngubani na amnike igunya lokuxela izenzo zakhe? Nezenzo zakhe ezincamisileyo ngubani na ongazifumana?

5 Ngubani na ongawabalayo amandla obungangamsha bakhe? Ngubani na onokuzixela iinceba zakhe?

6 Imisebenzi ebalulekileyo yeNkosi ayiyi kuhluthwa nto, kungafakwa nto kuyo, ungafunyaniswanga nto kuwo.

7 Xa athe umntu wenza, uyaqala; xa athe wemka, wothandabuza.

8 Uyintoni na umntu? buyintoni na ukulunga kwakhe, buyintoni na ububi bakhe?

9 Inani lemhla yomntu, ubuninzi babo, yiminyaka elikhulu;

10 Njengethontsi lamanzi elwandle, njengesuntswana entlabathi; injalo iminyaka eliwaka ukuya kwimihla kanaphakade.

11 Ngoko ke uThixo uzeka kade umsindo kubo, agalele inceba yakhe phezu kwabo.

12 Wabona, wakubona ukuphela kwabo ukuba kubi; ke ngoko wayandisa imfesane yakhe.

13 Inceba yomntu ikummelwane wakhe; Ke yona inceba kaYehova ikubantu bonke; Uyohlwaya, awondle, afundise, awubuyise njengomalusi umhlambi wakhe.

14 Unenceba kwabamkela uqeqesho, Ababangxameleyo imigwebo yakhe.

15 Nyana wam, musa ukuyisolisa impatho yakho entle, Ungadli ngamazwi abuthuntu, xa uthe wanikela nokuba yintoni na.

16 Awuyi kuginya na ubushushu umbethe? linjalo ilizwi ngaphezu kwesipho.

17 Yabona, ilizwi alilungile na ngaphezu kwesipho? kodwa bobabini bakunye nendoda enobubele.

18 Isimathane siya kugwaza ngobudenge; Ke sona isipho somona siyawadla amehlo.

19 Funda phambi kokuba uthethe, kwaye usebenzise umzimba okanye ugule.

20 Zigocagoce phambi komgwebo; Wothi ngomhla wokuvelelwa, wothi wakuba ivelelwe, woyifumanela inceba.

21 Zithobe ngaphambi kokuba ugule, kwaye ngexesha lezono ubonise inguquko.

22 Makungabikho nto ikukuthintela ekusifizekiseni isibhambathiso sakho ngexesha elimisiweyo;

23 Ngaphambi kokuba uthandaze, zilungise; ungabi njengalowo uhendayo iNkosi.

24 Cinga ngobushushu bokuphela, nexesha lempindezelo, xa athe wabususa ubuso bakhe.

25 Wakuba wahlutha, khumbula ixesha lokulamba; Noba sisityebi, khumbula ubuhlwempu nobuhlwempu.

26 Ukususela kusasa kude kube ngokuhlwa ixesha liyaguquka, kwaye zonke izinto zenziwa ngokukhawuleza phambi koYehova.

27 Umntu osisilumko uyoyika into yonke, ngemini yokona ke uya kuphaphela ukhubekiso;

28 Bonke abanobuqili bayabazi ubulumko, Bamdumise lowo ubufumeneyo.

29 Ke kaloku nabo ababenengqondo ekuthetheni basuke baba zizilumko kwanabo;

30 Musa ukulandela iinkanuko zakho;

31 Ukuba uthe wawunikela umphefumlo wakho umnqweno owukholisayo, Wokwenza intlekisa ezintshabeni zakho ezikungcikivayo.

32 Musa ukuyoliswa kukuchwayita kuninzi, ungabandakanywa nempumelelo yako;

33 Uze ungaqedwa ngokuntwizisa ngokuboleka imali, kungekho nto ungenayo engxoweni yakho; ngokuba uya kuwulalela umphefumlo wakho, uthetheulelwe.

ISAHLUKO 19

1 Umfo oxhwarhekileyo akabi sisityebi; ke yena odela izinto ezincinci uya kuwa kancinane.

2 Iwayini nenkazana yoyikisa indoda enengqondo; Ke yena unamathela kumahenyukazi uya kudana.

3 Kuya kuba lilifa lakhe amanundu neempethu, Kuhluthwe amadoda angamagorha.

4 Ozekanekayo ukuzukisa uswele; kwaye lowo wonayo uya kukhubeka kuye umphefumlo wakhe.

5 Ovuyela okungendawo uya kugwetywa; ke yena ochasene neziyolo uthwesa ubomi bakhe.

6 Olulawulayo ulwimi lwakhe uya kuphila ngaphandle kwengxabano; lowo uthiyileyo ukuthetha uya kuba nobubi obuncinane.

7 Musa ukuyiqhelisela omnye loo nto uyixeliweyo kuwe, kwaye akuyi kuba mbi kakhulu.

8 Enoba ngumhlobo, nokuba kukutshaba, musani ukuthetha ngamiphefumlo yabanye; nokuba unako, ungakhubeki, musa ukuzityhila.

9 Kuba uvile, wakugcina, kwaye lakufika ixesha uya kuthiya.

10 Ukuba uthe weva ilizwi, malife nawe; Uze ukhaliphe, akuyi kukugqabhuka.

11 Isinyabi siyazala ngelizwi, Njengozalayo yomntwana.

12 Njengotolo olungena ethangeni lendoda, Linjalo ilizwi embilini wesidenge.

13 Mluleke umhlobo, mhlawumbi akayenzanga;

14 Mluleke ummelwane wakho, mhlawumbi akathethanga;

15 Mlungise kumhlobo wakho;

16 Kukho otyibilikayo ekuthetheni kwakhe, kungengantliziyo; Ngubani na ongonikanga ngolwimi lwakhe?

17 Mqeqeshe ummelwane wakho ungekamsongela; nize ningabi naburhalarhume, wuvuleleni umyalelo woSenyangweni.

18 Ukoyika uYehova linyathelo lokuqala eliya kwamkeleka kuye, kwaye ubulumko buzuza uthando lwakhe.

19 Ukuyazi imimiselo yeNkosi imfundiso yobomi;

20 Ukoyika uYehova bubulumko bonke; Kubo bonke ubulumko kusekugqibeleni umthetho, kwanokwaziwa konamandla onke.

21 Ukuba umkhonzi uthe enkosini yakhe, Andenzi ngokuthanda kwakho; nokuba ithe emveni kokuba ekwenzile oko, uyamqumbisa lowo umondlayo.
 22 ukwazi okungendawo asikubulumko; icebo laboni asilongqondo.
 23 Kukho okungendawo, kwanjengamasikizi; kukho isinyabi esiswele ubulumko.
 24 Onengqondo incinane, owoyika uThixo, ulunge ngakumbi kunobulumko obuninzi, ogqithise umyalelo wOsenyangweni.
 25 Kukho ubuqhophololo obugqithiseleyo, kwanabo obungalungisi; kukho otyekayo ukuze avele isigwebo; kwaye kukho indoda elumkileyo egwebelayo ekugwebeni.
 26 Kukho ongendawo, othotywe intloko elusizi; kodwa ngaphakathi uzele yinkohliso.
 27 Ebubekekile ubuso bakhe, enjengento engevayo;
 28 Ukuba ke uthe ngenxa yokungabi nagunya, wathintelwa ukuba angoni;
 29 Umntu uyaziwa ngembonakalo, nengqiqo ngembonakalo, xa uthe wamkhawulela.
 30 Iingubo zendoda, nokuhleka okukhulu, nokuhambahamba, zixela into ekuyo.

ISAHLUKO 20

1 Kukho isohlwayo esingabekekiyo; ukanti ubani uyalubamba ulwimi lwakhe, abe sisilumko.
 2 Kulungile ukohlwaya kunokuqumba ngasese; Ke yena osivumayo isono sakhe usinda.
 3 Hayi, ukuba kuhle ukuba wohlwaywe ubonise inguquko! ngokuba uya kusinda ekoneni ngabom.
 4 njengokuba umnqweno wethenwa ukutshabalalisa intombi; Unjalo lowo ugwebayo ngogonyamelo.
 5 Kukho othi cwaka, ufunyenwe elumkile;
 6 Umntu uthi cwaka ngolwimi lwakhe, kuba akanako ukuphendula;
 7 Umntu osisilumko uthi cwaka ade abone ithuba;
 8 Osebenzisa amazwi amaninzi uya kuba lisikizi; nosukuba ethabatha igunya kulo, uya kuthiywa.
 9 Kukho umoni ozuza okulungileyo kokubi; kwaye kukho inzuzo ejika ibe yilahleko.
 10 Kukho isipho esingayi kuba luncedo kuwe; kukho nesipho esiphindiweyo umvuzo wayo.
 11 Kukho ukuthotywa ngenxa yozuko; kukho ophakamisa intloko yakhe eluthobeni.
 12 Kukho othenga kakhulu ngentwana, abuyekeze kasixhenxe;
 13 Isilumko simenza intanda ngamazwi akhe; Ke ubabalo lwesidenge luya kuphalazwa.
 14 Isipho sesinyabi asiya kunceda nto, xa uthe waso; nokuba ke ingabi ngowaba nomona, ngokunyameka kwakhe;
 15 Unika into encinane, egxeka kakhulu; Uyawuvula umlomo wakhe njengodandulukayo; namhla uyaboleka, wobuya ayicele ngomso; onjalo ngothiywa nguThixo nangabantu.
 16 Sithi isidenge, Andinazihlobo, andinambulelo ngako konke okulungileyo kwam; nabadla isonka sam bathetha kakubi ngam.
 17 Kukangaphi na ke egculelwa! kuba akakwazi kakuhle ukuba yintoni na into onayo; kwaye konke kuye kufana nokuba akanayo.

18 Kulungile ukutyibilika emgaqweni omatye, ngaphezu kokutyibilika ngolwimi;
 19 Ibali elingekho ngqiqweni liya kuhlala lisemlonyeni wesisiyatha.
 20 Isilumko siyakhatywa xa siphuma emlonyeni wesidenge; kuba akayi kuthetha ngexesha elililo.
 21 Kukho onqandwayo ukuba angoni ngokuswela;
 22 Kukho owonakalisayo umphefumlo wakhe ngokuhlazisa, Ezinonelele ngokukhetha ubuso.
 23 Kukho othembisa ihlazo kummelwane wakhe, Umenze utshaba lwakhe into engento.
 24 Libala elibi emntwini ubuxoki, Kanti buhlala busemlonyeni wongafundiswayo.
 25 Isela lilungile ngaphezu komntu oqhele ukuxoka;
 26 Ke yona ixoki liziintloni, ukucukucezwa kwalo kuhleli kulo.
 27 Umntu osisilumko uziphakamisa ngamazwi akhe; Onengqondo ukholisa abakhulu.
 28 Owusebenzayo umhlaba wakhe wokwandisa imfumba yakhe;
 29 Izicengo neziphu zimfamekisa amehlo ezilumko, ziyawuvala umlomo waso, ukuba singakwazi ukohlwaya.
 30 Ubulumko obufihliweyo, nobutyebi obuqwetyiweyo, kunceda ntoni na oko kokubini?
 31 Ulungile osithelisayo ukumatha kwakhe, Ngaphezu komntu olufihlayo ubulumko bakhe.
 32 Umonde ofunekayo ekufuneni uYehova ulungile, ngaphezu kohambahamba engenamkhokeli.

ISAHLUKO 21

1 Nyana wam, wonile na? ungabi sakwenza oko; cela uxolo ngezono zakho zangaphambili.
 2 Saba esonweni njengobuso benyoka; ngokuba xa uthe wasondela kuso, siya kukuluma;
 3 Bonke ubugwenxa bunjengekrele elintlangothi mbini, amanxeba alo angenakuphiliswa.
 4 Ukunkwantya nokwenza ngobugqwetha kuyaphanza ubutyebi;
 5 Umthandazo ophuma emlonyeni wehlwempu ufikelela ezindlebeni zikaThixo;
 6 Okuthiyileyo ukohlwaywa usendleleni yaboni; ke yena owoyikayo uYehova uya kuzohlwaya ngokusuka entliziyweni.
 7 Indoda eliciko yaziwa kude nakude; Ke indoda enengqondo iyazi xa ikhukula.
 8 Oyakhayo indlu yakhe ngeemali zabanye, Ufana nohlanganisa amatye engcwabeni lakhe.
 9 Ibandla labangendawo linjengentambo ethandelweyo, esontiweyo;
 10 Indlela yaboni ithe tye ngamatye, Ukanti ekupheleni kwayo sisihogo selabafileyo.
 11 Owugcinayo umyalelo kaYehova uzuza ukuqonda; Ke ukugqibelela kokoyika uYehova bubulumko.
 12 Ongenabulumko akafundiswa;
 13 Ukwazi isilumko kuba njengomlambo, neqhinga laso lithende lobomi obunyulu.
 14 Ingaphakathi lesinyabi linjengesitya esiqhekekileyo, Asiyi kuba nakwazi yonke imihla yaso.
 15 Ukuba onengqondo uthe waliva ilizwi lobulumko, wolincoma, elongeze kulo;
 16 Ilizwi lesinyabi linjengomthwalo endleleni; Ke wona ubabalo lufumaneka emlonyeni wezilumko.

17 Babuza emlonyeni wesilumko ebandleni, bawamisele amazwi aso entliziyweni yabo.
 18 Njengendlu echithakeleyo, bunjalo ubulumko kwisinyabi;
 19 Imfundiso kwizinyabi injengemixokelelwane ezinyaweni, Injengokukhama ngasekunene.
 20 Isimathane siphakamisa izwi laso ngokuhleka; Ke yena osisilumko akancume kancinane.
 21 Ukufunda kunjengesidanga segolide kwisilumko, nanjengesacholo engalweni yaso yasekunene.
 22 Unyawo lwesidenge lukhawuleza luye kwawalo endlwini yommelwane wakhe; Ke yena onamava uneentloni ngaye.
 23 Isimathane siya kugqogqa emnyango endlwini; Owondlekile umela ngaphandle.
 24 Bubudenge bendoda ukuphulaphula emnyango;
 25 Imilebe yomlomo wentetho ixela izinto ezingekhoyo kubo;
 26 Intliziyo yesinyabi isemlonyeni waso; Ke wona umlomo wezilumko usentliziyweni yaso.
 27 Xa umntu ongahloneli Thixo etshabhisa uSathana, uyawuqalekisa umphefumlo wakhe.
 28 Intle bendwane iwenza inqambi umphefumlo wakhe; Uthiywa apho ahlala khona.

ISAHLUKO 22

1 Indoda elivila ifanekiswa nelitye elingcolileyo; elowo wenza umsondlo, abe lihlazo.
 2 Umntu odangeleyo ufanekiswa nomgquba wezala;
 3 Indoda eyondlalwe ngobubi Lihlazo kuyise owamzalayo, Ke intombi esisiyatha izalelwa ukulahlekelwa kwayo.
 4 Intombi elumkileyo iya kulingenisa endodeni yayo ilifa;
 5 Onobuganga uhlaza uyise nendoda yakhe; ke bobabini bayayidela.
 6 Linjengomculo isijwili ilizwi elingenaxesha; kambe imivumbo noqeqesho lobulumko aluphumi xesha.
 7 Osifundise isinyabi ufana nohlanganisa ingqayi, unjengomntu ovusa ebuthongweni.
 8 Othetha indaba kwisidenge, uthetha kobuthongweni;
 9 Ukuba abantwana bathe bahamba benyanisekile, baba nento, baya kubugubungela ubutshinga babazali babo.
 10 Ke bona abantwana abanekratshi, ngokudela nokuswela ukondla, bayalungcolisa uzuko lwemizalwane yabo.
 11 Lileleni ofileyo, ngokuba ubhunyulwe kukukhanya; lilalani isinyabi, ngokuba siswele ukuqonda; lilani kancinane nimlilele abafileyo, ngokuba besaphumla; ke wona ubomi besidenge bubi ngaphezu kokufa.
 12 Iintsuku ezisixhenxe baya kuzilelwa ofileyo; kuba ngenxa yesidenge, indoda engahloneli Thixo yonke imihla yobomi bayo.
 13 Musa ukuthetha kakhulu nesidenge, Ungangeni koswele ukuqonda; silumkele, hleze ube nengxaki, ungangcoliswa naphakade ngobuhule baso; mke kuso; uphazamisekile kukuphambana.
 14 Yintoni enzima ngaphezu kwelotho? Lingubani na igama layo, sisidenge ke?
 15 Intlabathi, netyuwa, nesixa sesinyithi, kulula ukuthwala, Ngaphezu koswele intliziyo.
 16 Njengomthi obophelelwe ndawonye esakhiweni, awunakukhululeka ngokushukuma;
 17 Intliziyo esimele kwiingcinga zokuqonda Injengotyabeke eludongeni lwegalari.

18 Amabala amiswe emimangweni soze ame nxamnye nomoya: Intliziyo eyoyikekayo ebunjweni yesinyabi ayinako ukuma phambi koloyiko.
 19 Otyhala iliso uwisa iinyembezi;
 20 Ophosa iintaka ngelitye, uya kuziqwenga;
 21 Nokuba uthe wamrhola ikrele ummelwane wakho, uze ungatyhafi;
 22 Xa uthe wamvulela umlomo wakho ummelwane wakho, musa ukoyika; kuba kusenokubakho ucamagusho; kungekuko ukungcikiva, okanye ukukratsha, nokuphalazeka iimfihlakalo, nenxeba lobutshijolo; ngenxa yezo zinto zonke izihlobo ziya kumka.
 23 Thembeke kummelwane wakho ebuhlwempuzeni bakhe, ukuze uvuye ekulungeni kwakhe; Uhlala uthembekile kuye ngexesha lobubi bakhe, Ukuze ube yindlalifa kunye naye elifeni lakhe; Kuba ilifa alihlali lidelekileyo. : nesityebi esiswele ukuqonda ngokuncoma.
 24 Njengomphunga nomsi weziko lomlilo, ugqitha phambi komlilo; utshabhiso phambi kwegazi.
 25 Andiyi kuba nazintloni ukumthethelela ummelwane; andiyi kuzifihla kuye.
 26 Ke ukuba ndithe ndahlelwa bububi, bothi bonke ababuvayo balumkele.
 27 Ngubani na oya kubeka umlindi phambi komlomo wam, netywina lobulumko emilebeni yomlomo wam, ndingaweli kubo ngesiquphe, lungonakalisi ulwimi lwam?

ISAHLUKO 23

1 Owu Nkosi, Bawo, wena Mlawuli wobomi bam bonke, musa ukundishiya emaqhingeni abo, kwaye mandingawi ngabo.
 2 Ngubani na oya kumisa iziniya phezu kweengcinga zam, Uqeqesho lobulumko phezu kwentliziyu yam? ukuze bangabi nanceba kum ekungazini kwam, Kungadluleki ngezono zam;
 3 Hleze kwande ukungazi kwam, Zona zam zininzi, zindishonele, Ndiwe phambi kwabandibandezelayo, Lugcobe ngam utshaba lwam, Oluthemba lakho likude nenceba yakho.
 4 Owu Nkosi, Bawo noThixo wobomi bam, musa ukundinika inkangeleko yekratshi, kodwa yijike kubakhonzi bakho rhoqo ingqondo enekratshi.
 5 Suka kum amathemba alambathayo, neminqweno engento;
 6 Mayingandibambi inkanuko yesisu, nenkanuko yenyama; Musa ukumnikele umkhonzi wakho phakathi kwam.
 7 Yivani, bonyana, uqeqesho lomlomo;
 8 Ubudenge bokumatha umoni, Ophoxayo nozidlalo, uya kuwa ngabo.
 9 Musa ukuwuqhelanisa nokufunga umlomo wakho; kananjalo musa ukulibiza igama loyiNgcwele.
 10 Kuba njengekhoboka elisoloko libethwa akabi nakubekwa bala;
 11 Umntu ofungayo uya kuzala bubugwenxa, isibetho eso asiya kumka endlwini yakhe; ukuba uthe wazeka ityala, soba phezu kwakhe isono; ukuba uthe akasivuma isono sakhe, woba ityala eliphindiweyo; ukuba uthe wafunga, akayi kuba msulwa; ke indlu yakhe iya kuzala bububi.
 12 Kukho ilizwi elijingweyo kukufa, elithi, Lingafunyanwa lilifa likaYakobi; ngokuba zonke ezo zinto ziya kuba kude kwabangcwele, bangagibi esonweni sabo.

13 Musa ukuwusebenzisa umlomo wakho ekufungeni, kuba likulo ilizwi lesono.

14 Khumbula uyihlo nonyoko, Xa uhleliyo phakathi kwezikhulu. Musa ukulibala phambi kwabo, ukuze ube sisidenge ngokwesiko lakho, unqwenele ukuba akwaba ubungazalwanga, uyiqaqalekise loo mini yokuzalwa kwakho.

15 Umntu oqhele ukuthetha kakubi soze aguquke yonke imihla yobomi bakhe.

16 Iintlobo ezimbini zabantu ziyakwandisa ukona; owesithathu ke uya kuzisa ingqumbo; umoya ovuthayo ngumlilo ovuthayo, ongacimiyo ude ugqithe; yena ohenyuzayo emzimbeni wenyama yakhe akasayi kupheza, ade atshise umlilo, umlilo.

17 Sonke isonka simnandi kwiHENYUKAZI, akayi kuyeka ade afe.

18 Indoda echithakeleyo, ithi entliziyweni yayo, Ngubani na ondibonayo? Ndirhangqwe bubumnyama; iindonga zindigubungele, akukho bani undibonayo; ndoyike ntoni? Osenyangweni akayi kuzikhumbula izono zam;

19 Umntu onjalo woyika kuphela amehlo abantu; engazi ukuba amehlo kaYehova aqaqambile ngaphezu kwelanga elimawaka alishumi;

20 Wayezazi zonke izinto phambi kokuba zidalwe; ngokunjalo emva kokuba befezekile wabakhangela bonke.

21 Le ndoda yobethwa ezitratweni zomzi, ithinjwe apho ingakrokrayo.

22 Kuya kuba njalo nomfazi oshiya indoda, wazekela indlalifa ngenye.

23 Kuba kuqala ugqithile umyalelo wOsenyangweni; okwesibini, unetyala kweyakhe indoda; Okwesithathu uhenyuzile, wazala enye indoda.

24 Uya kukhutshelwa ebandleni, abelekwe nabantwana bakhe;

25 Oonyana bakhe abayi kumila, Namasebe awo angavelisi siqhamo.

26 Uya kuyishiya inkumbulo yakhe ukuba iqalekise, nongcikivo lwakhe alucimi.

27 Kwaye abo basalayo baya kwazi ukuba akukho nto ilunge ngakumbi kunokoyika uYehova, kwaye akukho nto imnandi ngaphezu kokuthobela imiyalelo yeNkosi.

28 Kuluzuko olukhulu ukumlandela uYehova, Nokwamkelwa nguye ubomi obude.

ISAHLUKO 24

1 Ubulumko buya kuzidumisa, buqhayise phakathi kwabantu babo.

2 Ebandleni lOsenyangweni iya kuwuvula umlomo wayo, Imemelele phambi kwamandla akhe.

3 Ndaphuma emlonyeni wOsenyangweni, ndawugubungela njengelifu ihlabathi.

4 Ndihleli ezindaweni eziphakamileyo, netrone yam isemqulwini welifu.

5 Ndiwujikelezile umjikelo wezulu ndedwa, Ndahamba enzonzobileni.

6 Kumaza olwandle nasehlabathini lonke, nakuzo zonke izizwe neentlanga, ndazuza ilifa.

7 Ngezo zinto zonke bendifuna ukuphumla, ndihlale kwelifa bani na?

8 Wandiwisela umthetho ke uMdali weento zonke, owandimisayo umnquba wam, wathi, Ikhaya lakho malibe kwaYakobi, ilifa lakho kwaSirayeli.

9 Wandidala kwasekuqalekeni, kwangaphambi kwehlabathi;

10 Ententeni engcwele ndandikhonza phambi kwakhe;ندنجنجالو ukuzinza eZiyon.

11 Kwangokunjalo nasemzini othandiweyo wandiphumza, ndibe namandla am eYerusalem.

12 Ndendelele ebantwini abazukileyo, kwisahlulo selifa likaYehova.

13 Ndiphakame njengomsedare eLebhanon, nanjengomsipres ezintabeni zeHermon.

14 Ndaphakanyiswa njengomthi wesundu e-En-gadi, nanjengomfiyo waseYeriko, njengomnquma oyimpuluswa kwintsimi enqwenelekayo, ndahluma njengomsipuli ngasemanzini.

15 Ndakhupha ivumba elithozamisayo, elinjengesinamon neleaspalati, ndaphuma ivumba elithozamisayo, njengemore emnandi, negalebhana, nebherilo, nestorakisi esimnandi, nesiqhumiso sentlaka emhlophe ententeni;

16 Njengomthi weturpentine ndolula amasebe am, kwaye amasebe am angamasebe embeko nobabalo.

17 Njengomdiliya uvelisa ivumba elithozamisayo, Neentyantyambo zam sisiqhamo sozuko nobutyebi.

18 Mna ndingunina wothando oluhle, noloyiko, nokwazi, nethemba elingcwele;

19 Yizani kum, nonke nina nithandayo, nizizalise ngeziquhamo zam.

20 Ngokuba simnandi ngaphezu kobusi isikhumbuzo sam, Nelifa lam ngaphezu kwenqatha lobusi.

21 Abandidlayo basaya kulamba;

22 Lowo undithobelayo akayi kukha adaniswe naphakade;

23 Zonke ezi zinto ziyincwadi yomnqophiso kaThixo Osenyangweni, umyalelo awawumisela uMoses ukuba ube lilifa kwibandla lakwaYakobi.

24 Musani ukusitha amandla eNkosini; ukuze aniqinise, ninamathele kuye; ngokuba uYehova wemikhosi nguThixo yedwa, akukho wumbi ngaphandle kwakhe.

25 Uwuzalisa zonke izinto ngobulumko bakhe, njengoFison nanjengeTigris ngexesha leziqhamo ezitsha.

26 Wandisa ingqondo njengoEfrati, nanjengeYordan ngexesha lokuvuna.

27 Uyenzela ukukhanya imfundiso yokwazi, NanjengeGeon ngexesha lokuvuna iidiliya.

28 Owokuqala ebengamazi kakuhle; akayi kuphinda amfumane owokugqibela.

29 Kuba iingcinga zabo zininzi ngaphezu kolwandle, namacebo abo angaphezu kwamanzi enzonzobila.

30 Kananjalo ndaphuma njengomfula phakathi komlambo, nanjengomsele ongena emyezwini.

31 Ndathi, Ndiya kuwunyakamisa umyezo wam, ndiwunyakamise umandlalo wam womyezo; yabona, umlambo wam waba ngumlambo, umlambo wam waba lulwandle.

32 Ndisaya kuyikhanyisela njengentsasa, Ndisikhanyisele kude ukukhanya kwayo.

33 Ndisaya kusiphalaza imfundiso njengesiprofeto, ndiyiyeke kude kuse ephakadeni, kude kuse ephakadeni.

34 Yabona, andisebenzelanga mna ndedwa, ndibulalekele bonke abafuna ubulumko.

ISAHLUKO 25

1 Kwizinto ezintathu ndahonjiswa, ndema ndimhle phambi koThixo naphambi kwabantu: umanyano lwabazalwana, uthando lommelwane, indoda nomfazi abavumelanayo.
2 Bathathu abantu obathiyileyo umphefumlo wam, Ndisuke ndacandeka kumphefumlo wabo: Ihlwempu elizidlayo, Indoda esisityebi, olixoki, nexhego elikrexezayo.
3 Ukuba akubuthanga nto kwasebutsheni bakho, wòthini na ukufumana nto kwasebutsheni bakho?
4 Hayi, ukuba kuhle kwesigwebo kwingwevu, kumadoda amakhulu ukuba awazi icebo!
5 Owu, hayi indlela obubuhle ngayo ubulumko bamadoda amakhulu, nokuqonda nesiluleko kubantu abazukileyo!
6 Isithsaba samadoda amakhulu ngamava amaninzi, yaye ukoyika uThixo kuluzuko lwawo.
7 7 Kukho izinto ezisithoba, endithe ndagqiba entliziyweni yam, ukuba zinoyolo; odla ubomi ukuba akubone ukuwa kotshaba lwakhe.
8 Ulungile lowo uhlala nomfazi onengqondo, ongakhubekiyo elulwimini lwakhe, ongakhonzenga umntu ongafanelekiyo kunaye;
9 Ulungile lowo ufumeneyo ingqondo, nalowo uthetha ezindlebeni zabevayo.
10 Hayi, ukuba mkhulu kobufumeneyo ubulumko! kanti akukho bani umkhulu ngaphezu komoyikayo uYehova.
11 Ke lona uthando lweNkosi lugqithisela ezintweni zonke;
12 Ukoyika uYehova kukuqala kothando lwakhe, Ingqalo yokunamathela kuye ukholo.
13 Ndinike sonke isibetho, kodwa sisibetho sentliziyi, nobungendawo bonke, bububi bomfazi;
14 Nayiphi na imbandezelo, kodwa yimbandezelo kwabandithiyayo, nempindezelo yimpindezelo yeentshaba.
15 Akukho ntloko phezu kwentloko yenyoka; kwaye akukho ngqumbo ngaphezu komsindo wotshaba.
16 Ndinyule ukuhlala nengonyama nenamba, Kunokuhlala endlwini nomfazi ongendawo.
17 Ububi bomfazi buyabugququla ubuso bakhe, Bube mnyama ubuso bakhe njengengubo erhwexayo.
18 Indoda yakhe iya kuhlala nommelwane wayo; akusiva ancwane krakra.
19 Bonke ububi buncinane kwinto embi yomfazi; masibe phezu kwakhe isabelo somoni.
20 Njengokunyuka indlela enentlabathi ezinyaweni zengwevu, Unjalo umfazi ukuthetha kwindoda epholileyo.
21 Musa ukukhubeka ebunzwaneni benkazana;
22 Umfazi, ukuba uthe wayigcina indoda yakhe, uzele ngumsindo, noburhalarhume, nokungcika okukhulu;
23 Umfazi okhohlakeleyo ulahla intliziyo;
24 Kumfazi lowo kwaphuma isiqalo sesono, yaye siyafa ngaye sonke.
25 Musani ukuwanika amanzi adlulayo; Nomfazi ongendawo, inkululeko yokuphumela ngaphandle.
26 Ukuba uthe akayanga njengoko uthanda ngako, yinqumle enyameni yakho, umnike incwadi yokwahlukana, umndulule.

ISAHLUKO 26

1 Inoyolo indoda enomfazi onesidima; ngokuba inani lemihla yayo liphindwe kabini.
2 Umfazi onesidima uyayivuyela indoda yakhe, Ayizalise iminyaka yobomi bakhe enoxolo.

3 Umfazi olungileyo sisabelo esilungileyo, esisisabelo sabamoyikayo uYehova.
4 Nokuba usisityebi, nokuba ulihlwempu, ukuba unentliziyi echwayithileyo kuYehova, uya kuvuya ngamaxesha onke, enobuso obuchwayithayo.
5 Zintathu izinto eyoyika intliziyo yam; owesine ndoyika kakhulu kunene: iyintle bendwane yomzi, nokubuthelana kwehlokondiba, nentetho yobuxoki; zonke ezo zinto zinobubi ngaphezu kokufa.
6 Ke yena umfazi onentliziyi ebuhlungu, nentungo, enekhwele ngenxa yomnye umfazi, nesiniya solwimi, esithetha nabo bonke;
7 Umfazi onobubi ufana nedyokhwe ishukunyiswa kanye;
8 Inkazana enxilayo nomhambi uzeka kade umsindo, yaye akayi kuligqubuthela ihlazo lakhe.
9 Ukuhenyuza komfazi kuyaziwa ngokuqwayinga, neenkophe zakhe;
10 Ukuba intombi yakho ithe yaneentloni, yigcine, hleze ixhaphake kakhulu.
11 Mlinde oxhwalekileyo, Ungamangaliswa xa athe wona kuwe.
12 Iya kuwuvula umlomo wayo njengomhambi onxaniweyo, xa ethe wafumana umthombo, isela amanzi onke ngakuyo;
13 Ubabalo lomfazi luyolisa indoda yakhe; Ukuqika kwakhe kuyawatyebisa amathambo ayo.
14 Umfazi onenceba, onothando, lilifa elivela kuYehova; kwaye akukho nto ixabisa kakhulu njengengqondo eyalwe kakuhle.
15 Umfazi oneentloni nothembekileyo ulubabalo oluphindiweyo;
16 Njengelanga, xa liphuma emazulwini; kunjalo ke ubuhle bomfazi olungileyo ekucwangciseni kwendlu yakhe.
17 Njengokuba ukukhanya kuphezu kwesiphatho sesibane esingcwele; kunjalo ke ubuhle bobuso ebudaleni.
18 Njengoko zinjalo iintsika zegolide phezu kweziseko zesilivere; zinjalo iinyawo ezithe tye, nentliziyi ethe tye.
19 Nyana wam, yigcine iphilile intyantyambo yobudoda bakho; musa ukunika abasemzini amandla akho.
20 Xa uthe wayiqwebela intsimi yonke, yihlwayele imbewu yakho, ukholose ngokulunga komthi wakho.
21 Ke ngoko uhlanga lwakho olushiyileyo luya kuba likhulu, ukholose ngomnombo wabo olungileyo.
22 Ihenyukazi kuthiwa litshicela; ke yena umfazi owendileyo uba yinqaba yokufa endodeni yakhe.
23 Umfazi okhohlakeleyo unikwa isabelo sendoda ongendawo; Ke yena owenceba unikwe owoyika uYehova.
24 Umfazi ongathembekanga udela ukucukucezwa; Umfazi onesidima uyayoyika indoda yakhe.
25 Umfazi ohlazelekileyo kubalelwa ekuthini uyinga; Ke yena oneentloni uya kumoyika uYehova.
26 Umfazi obeka indoda yakhe uya kuthiwa usisilumko ezintweni zonke; Ke yena omhlalisa ikratshi kuye, uya kugqalwa njengongahloneli Thixo.
27 Umfazi olilayo nothethisayo uya kufunwa ukugxotha iintshaba.
28 Kukho izinto ezimbini eziyenza buhlungu intliziyo yam; owesithathu undiqumbisa: yindoda yemfazwe ehlwempuzekileyo; namadoda anengqondo engabekekiyo; nalowo ubuya ebulungiseni, aye esonweni; Onjalo uYehova umlungisele ikrele.

29 Kuya kuba ngenkankulu ukuba umrhwebi azigcine ekwenzeni okubi; kwaye ixhwane aliyi kukhululwa esonweni.

ISAHLUKO 27

1 Baninzi bonile kancinane; nalowo ufuna intabalala uya kuwasusa amehlo akhe.
2 Njengesikhonkwane sinamathelayo phakathi kwemixokelelwane yamatye; ngokunjalo isono siyanamathelana phakathi kokuthenga nokuthengisa.
3 Ukuba umntu akathanga azibambe ekoyikeni uYehova, Iya kubhukuqeka indlu yayo kamsinya.
4 njengokuba umntu ehlungulwa ngesihluzo, ahlala umswane; ngoko ukungcola komntu ekuthetheni kwakhe.
5 Iziko liyacikida izitya zombumbi; ngoko ke ukucikideka komntu kusengqondweni yakhe.
6 Isiqhamo sixela ukuba umthi ulungisiwe; Kunjalo ukuthetha ikratshi entliziyweni yomntu.
7 Musani ukudumisa, ungekamva ethetha; kuba ukucikideka kwabantu oko.
8 Ukuba uthe walandela ubulungisa, wosizuka, wamambathe njengengubo yokwaleka enobuqaqawuli.
9 Iintaka ziya kwafana nazo; ngokunjalo iya kubuyela inyaniso kwabayenzayo kuyo.
10 njengengonyama ilalela ixhoba; ngokunjalo nesono kwabo benza okuchasene nomthetho.
11 Intetho yelungisa inobulumko ngamaxesha onke; Ke sona isidenge siyaguquka njengenyanga.
12 Ukuba uthe waba ngoswele ukuqonda, gcina ixesha; yiba phakathi kwabanengqondo ngamaxesha onke.
13 Intetho yesidenge ingumkhitha, Nemidlalo yaso bububi besono.
14 Ilizwi lofunga kakhulu liyazimisa iinwele; yaye ukuphololoza kwabo kwenza ubani avingce iindlebe zakhe.
15 Ingxabano yabakhukhumeleyo liphalazi-gazi, neengcikivo zabo zinzima ezindlebeni.
16 Otyhila iimfihlakalo wolahlekelwa luzuko lwakhe; kwaye akasayi kufumana sihlobo engqondweni yakhe.
17 Umthande ummelwane wakho, uthembeke kuye;
18 Njengoko umntu elutshabalalisa utshaba lwakhe; ngoko ulahlekelwe luthando lommelwane wakho.
19 Njengokuyindulula intaka esandleni sakhe, wenjenjalo ukumndulula ummelwane wakho, ungamfumani.
20 Ningabi samlandela, ngokuba ukude; unjengebhadi eliphuma esibatheni.
21 Inxeba libotshwa; Emveni ke kokutshabhiswa, kungaxolelaniswa;
22 Otyanda ngoshiyi ngokwenza ububi, yaye lowo umaziyo uya kumka kuye.
23 Xa uthe wafika wena, wothetha kamnandi, Owothuse amazwi akho;
24 Ndizithiyile izinto ezininzi, kodwa andifani naye; ngokuba uYehova uya kumthiya.
25 Ophosa ilitye phezulu ugalela entlokwini yakhe; Ubetho lwenkohliso luya kwenza amaxeba.
26 Ombe isihogo uya kweyela kuso;
27 Owenza okubi, uya kumwelwa, angazi apho avela khona.
28 Ingcikivo nengcikivo ivela kwabanekratshi; ke yona impindezelo iya kubalalela njengengonyama.
29 Abavuyela ukuwa kwelungisa babanjiswa sisirhintyelo; inimba iya kubagqibela bengekafi.

30 ulunya nengqumbo, kwanazo ngamasikizi; yaye umoni uya kuzifumana zombini.

ISAHLUKO 28

1 Lowo umphindezeli uya kufumana impindezelo evela kuYehova, kwaye ngokuqinisekileyo uya kuzikhumbula izono zakhe.
2 Xolela ummelwane wakho ububi abenzileyo kuwe, nezono zakho zozixolelwa ekuthandazeni kwakho.
3 Umntu umthiya omnye, acele uxolelo na kuYehova?
4 Akanamfesane kumfo onjengaye; angaxoleli na izono zakhe?
5 Ukuba ongowasenyameni ugcina intiyo, ngubani na oya kumvuselela ukuba axolelwe izono zakhe?
6 Khumbula isiphelo sakho, buphelise ubutshaba; khumbula ukonakala nokufa, uhlale kuyo imithetho.
7 Khumbula imithetho, ungathwali bububi ummelwane wakho;
8 Yeka ingxabano, unciphise izono zakho; kuba indoda enobushushu ingenisa ingxabano;
9 Indoda engumoni ibadubaduba izihlobo, Iphikisana nabanoxolo.
10 Njengoko injalo into yomlilo, unjalo ukuvutha; njengamandla endoda, kunjalo ke nobushushu; njengobutyebi bakhe uyanyuka umsindo wakhe; kwaye okukhona benamandla emfazweni, kokukhona baya kuvutha amalangabi.
11 Ingxabano ekhawulezayo ivuthisa umlilo;
12 Ukuba uthe wayifutha intlantsi, yovutha; ukuba uthe wayitshicela, yocinywa;
13 Qalisani intle bendwane nabantetho-mbini; ngokuba abanjalo batshabalalisa abaninzi ababenoxolo.
14 Ulwimi oluhlelwayo luphazamisa abaninzi, lwabadudula eluhlangeni, luye eluhlangeni;
15 Ulwimi oluhlelwayo luyabagxotha abafazi abanesidima, bawuhluthu umsebenzi wabo.
16 Owuphulaphulayo akasayi kufumana kuphumla;
17 Isibetho sesabhokhwe siphawula enyameni; Ke sona isibetho solwimi saphula amathambo.
18 Baninzi abawe ngohlangothi lwekrele, kodwa ababaninzi abawe ngolwimi.
19 Ulungile ohlangulwe bubuhlungu bayo; ongazanga wayitsala idyokhwe, akakhonkxwa nezitya zayo;
20 Kuba idyokhwe yawo yidyokhwe yentsimbi, nezibophelelo zayo zizibophelelo zobhedu.
21 Ukufa kwalo kukufa okubi;
22 Akuyi kubalawula abamoyikayo uThixo, Bangayi kutshiswa lilangatye labo.
23 Abamshiyayo uYehova baya kweyela kulo; uya kuvutha kuzo, ungacimi; úya kuthunyelwa kubo njengengonyama, ibadle njengengwe.
24 Khangela, ulunqabisele ubutyebi bakho ngameva, Ubophe isilivere yakho negolide yakho;
25 Walinganise amazwi akho ngesikali, wenze ucango nemivalo emlonyeni wakho.
26 Zigcine, ungatyibiliki kuyo, Hleze uwise entweni elalele.

ISAHLUKO 29

1 Onenceba uya kuboleka ummelwane wakhe; Owomelezayo isandla ugcina imithetho.

2 Mboleke ummelwane wakho ngexesha leentswelo zakhe, Umbuyise ummelwane wakho ngexesha elililo.

3 Gcina ilizwi lakho, kwaye usebenze ngokuthembeka kuye, kwaye uya kuhlala uyifumana into eyimfuneko kuwe.

4 Abaninzi ke, bakubon' ukuba babolekiwe, bababala ukuba bafunyenwe, babacinezele umsizi wabo.

5 Uya kwanga isandla somntu, ade amkele; nemali yommelwane wakhe wathetha ngentetho ethobekileyo; kodwa xa athe wahlawula, uya walongeza ixesha, aphinde athethe amazwi abuhlungu, kunye nokukhalazela ixesha.

6 Ukuba lithe leyisa, loba kalukhuni, likuthabathe isiqingatha eso, abalekelele ekubeni lisifumene; ukuba ke akunjalo, yaluhlutha imali yalo, lamzisela utshaba ngelize; liya kumbuyekeza ngezitshabhiso, neziqalekiso. iintsimbi zesiporo; ke ngenxa yozuko uya kumhlazisa.

7 Ngenxa yoko abaninzi abavumanga ukubolekisa ngemali yabanye, besoyika ukuqhathwa.

8 Yiba nomonde kwindoda elihlwempu, Ungalibali ukuyiba nenceba.

9 Nceda usizana ngenxa yomthetho, Ungamlibali ngenxa yobuhlwempu balo.

10 Yilahle imali yakho ngenxa yomntakwenu nomhlobo wakho, kwaye mayingakhuli phantsi kwelitye ukuze ilahleke.

11 Ziqwebele ubutyebi bakho ngokwemithetho yOsenyangweni, bukuzisele ukungeniswa kwakho ngaphezu kwegolide embiweyo.

12 Valela amalizo koovimba bakho;

13 Wokulwela iintshaba zakho ngaphezu kwengweletshetshe yengwele, nomkhonto owomeleleyo.

14 Indoda enyanisekileyo imela ummelwane wayo;

15 Musa ukubulibala ubuhlobo bomntu ongummeli wakho; Kuba unikele umphefumlo wakhe ngenxa yakho.

16 Umoni uya kuyibhukuqa impahla yakhe entle;

17 Yaye lowo ungenambulelo uya kumshiya esichengeni lowo wamhlangulayo.

18 Ukuhanahanisa kubaphanzisile abaninzi, kwabazamazamisa njengamaza olwandle;

19 Umntu okhohlakeleyo uthe, egqitha umthetho kaYehova, weyela ekumelaneni;

20 Mncede ummelwane wakho ngokwamandla akho, Uze uzigcine, ungaweli kuloo nto.

21 Ukuqala kobomi ngamanzi, nesonka, nesambatho, nendlu yokugubungela ihlazo.

22 Ulungile umphefumlo wehlwempu endlwini ephantsi, Ngaphezu kokuxhamla ubuncwane endlwini yomnye.

23 Nokuba kuncinane, nokuba kuncinane, komelela, ukuze ungakuva ukungcikiva kwendlu yakho.

24 Kuba bubugqirha kuphuma usiya kwindlu ngendlu;

25 Uya kuzonwabisa, wenze isidlo, ungabuleli;

26 Yiza, mphambukeli, ndenzele isithebe, Undidlise into oyilungisileyo.

27 Mnike owasemzini, obekekileyo; umninawa wam uza kulaliswa, kwaye ndiyayidinga indlu yam.

28 Ezi zinto zibuhlungu kwindoda enengqondo; ukungcikiva kwendlu, nokungcikiva kobolekayo.

ISAHLUKO 30

1 Omthandayo unyana wakhe uyayiva intonga futhi, ukuze avuye ekugqibeleni.

2 Omqeqeshayo unyana wakhe uya kuvuya ngaye, Agcobe ngaye phakathi kwabazana naye.

3 Ofundisa unyana wakhe umenza buhlungu utshaba;

4 Nokuba uyise wafa, unjengofileyo, ngokuba ushiye onjengaye.

5 Uthe ke esadla ubomi, wambona, wavuya ngaye;

6 Ushiya umphindezeli ezintshabeni zakhe, Owenze inceba kubahlobo bakhe.

7 Omgatyayo unyana wakhe uya kuzibopha amanxeba akhe; kwaye izibilini zakhe ziya kugcuma kukukhala konke.

8 Ihashe elingatyunyuziweyo liyaba noburhalarhume;

9 Mfekethe umntwana wakho, wokhwankqisa, dlala ngaye, akufise.

10 Musa ukuhleka naye, Hleze ube buhlungu kunye naye, Hleze utshixize amazinyo ekugqibeleni.

11 Musa ukumnika inkululeko ebutsheni bakhe, Ungabuhoyeleli ubuhiba bakhe.

12 Uze uyigobe intamo yakhe ebutsheni bakhe, umbethe emagxeni esengumntwana, hleze abe lukhuni, angakuthobeli, ayihlise intlungu entliziyweni yakho.

13 Mqeqeshe unyana wakho, Usebenze nzima, Hleze amanyala akhe abe sisikhubekiso kuwe.

14 Lilungile ihlwempu eliphilileyo, elikhaliphileyo, Ngaphezu kwesityebi esixhwalekileyo emzimbeni.

15 Impilo nobutyebi bomzimba bungaphezu kwayo yonke igolide, nomzimba owomeleleyo ngaphezu kobutyebi obungenasiphelo.

16 Akukho butyebi ngaphezu komzimba ophilileyo; Akukho luvuyo ngaphezu kovuyo lwentliziyo.

17 Kulunge ngakumbi ukufa kunobomi obukrakra okanye isifo esinganyangekiyo.

18 Ubuncwane obugalelwe emlonyeni ovaletweyo, bunjengobuncwane benyama ebekwe engcwabeni.

19 Linceda ntoni na idini elinyukayo? kuba ayinakudla, ayisezeli; unjalo otshutshiswayo nguYehova.

20 Ubona ngamehlo, ancwine;

21 Musa ukuyinikela intliziyo yakho kukukhathazeka, Ungazicinezeli ngelakho icebo.

22 Bubomi bomntu ukuvuya kwentliziyo;

23 Wuthande umphefumlo wakho, uyithuthuzele intliziyo yakho;

24 Umona nengqumbo iyabunqamla ubomi;

25 Ontliziyo ichwayithileyo, echwayithileyo uyayinyamekela inyama nesonka sayo.

ISAHLUKO 31

1 Ukulinda ubutyebi kudla inyama, Nenyameko yabo iphanga ubuthongo.

2 Ukulinda akumlahli umntu, njengokuba isifo esibi simenza alale;

3 Isityebi siyabulaleka kakhulu, sibuthela ubutyebi; athi ke aphumle, ahluthe kubumnandi bakhe.

4 Ihlwempu liyaphangela ngobuhlwempu balo; athi ekumkeni, abe eswele.

5 Othanda igolide akagwetyelwa; Olandela ukonakala uya kunela kuko.

6 Igolide yaba sisisulu sabaninzi, nokwaphuka kwabo kusekho.

7 Sisikhubekiso kwababingelayo kuyo, Ke zonke izidenge ziya kuthatyathwa kwaso.

8 Hayi, uyolo lwesityebi olufunyenwe lungenasiphako, olungalandeli golide;

9 Ngubani na yena? masithi unoyolo; ngokuba wenze imisebenzi ebalulekileyo phakathi kwabantu bakhe.

10 Ngubani na ocikidwe yiyo, wafunyanwa egqibelele? ngoko ke makaqhayise. Ngubani na okha akhubeke, akone? wenze ububi, akenzi na?

11 Impahla yakhe iya kuzinza, Nebandla lixele ubulungisa bakhe.

12 Ukuba uthe wahlala esithebeni sentabalala, musa ukuyibawela;

13 Khumbula ukuba iliso elingendawo limbi; ke ngoko liyalila ngawo onke amathuba.

14 Musa ukusa isandla sakho apho sukuba sibheka khona, ungasigibi kunye naye esityeni.

15 Musa ukumgweba ummelwane wakho wedwa;

16 Yidla njengoko kufanele umntu, izinto ozibeka phambi kwakho; udle inqaku, hleze uthiywe.

17 Yekani kuqala ngenxa yesidima; kwaye ungahluthi, hleze ukhubeke.

18 Xa uthe wahlala phakathi kwabaninzi, musa ukolula isandla sakho kuqala.

19 Intwana encinci imnele umntu owondlekileyo, angawufinyezi umoya wakhe esililini sakhe.

20 Ubuthongo obuphilileyo buphuma ekudleni okulingene; uvuka kusasa, abe neengqondo zakhe;

21 Ukuba uthe wadla, suka uphume, uhlanze, uya kuphumla.

22 Ndiphulaphule, nyana wam, ungandideli; wothi, ekupheleni, njengoko bendithe kuwe, ndikufumane;

23 Osivayo ukudla kwakhe, Mabathethe okulungileyo ngaye; nengxelo yogcino lwendlu yakhe iya kukholwa.

24 Ke umzi uphela umbombozela ngaye ongadliyo; nobungqina bobutshijolo bakhe abuyi kuhendwa ngabo.

25 Musa ukububonisa ubungangamsha bakho ngewayini; ngokuba babhuqile abaninzi iwayini.

26 Iziko licikida icala ngokudikwa;

27 Injengobomi iwayini yomntu, ukuba ithe yayisezwa ngobungcathu; kuba lwenzelwe ukuba luvuyise abantu.

28 Isiselo esinxilisayo sewayini, ngexesha elililo, izisa uvuyo lwentliziyo, nokuchwayitha kwentliziyo;

29 Ke yona iwayini, enxiliswe ngokugqithiseleyo, yenza ubukrakra bentliziyo, kunye neentshaba, neenkani.

30 Ukunxila kwandisa ingqumbo yesimathane, side sikhubeke;

31 Musa ukumthethisa ummelwane wakho ngewayini, Ungamdeli ekuvuyeni kwakhe;

ISAHLUKO 32

Ukuba uthe wenziwa umveleli wesidlo, musa ukuziphakamisa; yiba phakathi kwabo njengomnye wabaseleyo; Zinyamekele ngenyameko, uze ke uhlale phantsi.

2 Xa uthe wabufeza bonke ubuvelile bakho, thabatha indawo yakho, ukuze ube nokonwaba nabo, ufumane isithsaba sokulungela kwakho umthendeleko.

3 Wena ke uyindoda enkulu, thetha, ngokuba kukufanele, kodwa kube ngokusesikweni. kwaye musa ukuwuthintela umculo.

4 Musani ukuphalaza ilizwi kukho iimvumi, Musani ukuxela ubulumko kwangexesha.

5 Ikhonsathi yomculo esidlweni sewayini ingumsesane wokutywina wegolide, ofakwe kwigolide.

6 Njengomsesane wokutywina welesmarado, osekwe umsebenzi wegolide, lunjalo uhadi lokuvuma iwayini emnandi.

7 Thetha, ndodana, ukuba uyafuneka;

8 Intetho yakho mayibe mfutshane, iqondakale kakhulu ngamafutshane; yiba njengokwaziyo, abe elubambe ulwimi lwakhe.

9 Ukuba uthe waba phakathi kwabakhulu, musa ukulingana nabo; naxa bekhona abantu bamandulo, ze ningasebenzisi magama maninzi.

10 Ngaphambi kokuba kuphume imibane; Phambi kobuso obuhlazileyo kuya kukholeka.

11 Phakama kwangexesha, ungabi ngowokugqibela; kodwa goduka ukhawuleze.

12 Thatha apho ukuzonwabisa kwakho, wenze unothanda;

13 Ngenxa yezo zinto, sikelela uMenzi wakho, wazaliswa ngezinto zakhe ezilungileyo.

14 Omoyikayo uYehova uya kulumkela uqeqesho lwakhe; nabo bamfunayo kwakusasa baya kufumana ubabalo.

15 Owufunayo umyalelo uya kuhluthwa ngawo;

16 Abo bamoyikayo uYehova baya kufumana okusesikweni, Bavuthe ubulungisa njengokukhanya.

17 Omoni akayohlwaywa;

18 Indoda ecebisayo iba novelwano; Ke yena owasemzini, onekratshi, akaqhiphuki umbilini kukoyika, nakuba enze ngokuphuma kwakhe amaqhinga.

19 Musa ukwenza nto ngaphandle kokucetyiswa; wakuba wenze kwaba kanye, uze ungaguquki.

20 Musa ukuhamba ngendlela oya kuwa ngayo, ungakhubeki ematyeni;

21 Musani ukukholosa ngendlela ecacileyo.

22 Balumkele abantwana bakho.

23 Kholosa ngomphefumlo wakho ngomsebenzi wonke olungileyo; kuba kukugcina imithetho oko.

24 Lowo ukholwayo eNkosini uwugcina umthetho; ke yena okholose ngaye akayi kukha akhubeke mpela.

ISAHLUKO 33

1 Akehlelwa bububi Omoyikayo uYehova; uya kuthi ekuhendweni abuye amhlangule.

2 Isilumko asiwuthiyi umyalelo; Ke umhanahanisi kuyo unjengenqanawa esaqhwithi.

3 Indoda enengqondo ikholosa ngomyalelo; nomyalelo uthembekile kuye, njengesihlabo.

4 Yilungise into oya kuyithetha, woviwe;

5 Intliziyo yesinyabi injengevili lenqwelo; neengcinga zakhe zinjengomthi weasi oqengqekayo.

6 Inkunzi yehashe lingumgxeki; Lilila phantsi kwabo bonke abalikhweleyo.

7 Yini na ukuba imini le iwugqithise ngakumbi, njengoko konke ukukhanya kwemini enyakeni kuphuma ilanga?

8 Ngokwazi uYehova bahluka; wawaguqula ke amaxesha nemithendeleko.

9 Inxenye kubo wayenza imihla emide, wayingcwalisa, wathi inxenye kubo wayenza imihla esemagqabini.

10 Kwaye bonke abantu baphuma emhlabeni, kwaye uAdam wadalwa emhlabeni.

11 Ngokwazi okuninzi uYehova ubaxabisile, waza ngeendlela zabo zahluke.

12 Inxenye kubo wabasikelela, wayiphakamisa, inxenye kubo wayingcwalisa, wayisondeza kuye;

13 Njengoko udongwe lusesandleni sombumbi, ukuba alwembe athande yena;
 14 Ukulunga kuchasene nobubi, ubomi buchase ukufa;
 15 Yibone ngoko yonke imisebenzi yOsenyangweni; kwaye kukho ababini nababini, omnye ngokumelene nomnye.
 16 Ekugqibeleni ndavuka, njengobutha emva kwabavuni beediliya;
 17 Qondani ukuba andikhange ndibe nam ndedwa, ndabulalekela bonke abafuna ukufunda.
 18 Ndiveni, nina zikhulu zezizwe, nibaze iindlebe, nina baphathi bebandla.
 19 Musa ukumnika igunya unyana wakho, nomfazi, nomzalwana wakho, nommelwane wakho, ngoxa usadla ubomi, yaye impahla yakho ungayinikeli omnye, hleze uguquke, ubuye uzibongoze.
 20 Yonke imihla yokudla kwakho ubomi, kumphefumlo wakho, musa ukuzinikela nakubani.
 21 Kuba kulungile ukuba abantwana bakho bafune kuwe, Kunokuba ume ebusweni babo.
 22 Ezenzweni zakho zonke, gcina ubungangamsha bakho; musa ukushiya ibala ngembeko yakho.
 23 Ngexesha woyigqiba imihla yakho, wahlule ilifa lakho.
 24 Indiza ye-esile, nesand, nomthwalo, nomthwalo we-esile; nesonka, noqeqesho, nomsebenzi womkhonzi.
 25 Ukuba uthe wamsebenzisa umkhonzi wakho, wofumana ukuphumla; ke ukuba uthe wamyeka wahamba, wofuna inkululeko.
 26 Idyokhwe nentamo ithobe intamo;
 27 Mthumeleni ukusebenza, ukuba angasebenzi; ngokuba uvila lufundisa ububi obuninzi.
 28 Mfakeni emsebenzini ngokufanelekileyo;
 29 Ke musani ukugqwidiza; ningenzi nto ningenangqiqo.
 30 Ukuba unomkhonzi, makabe njengawe siqu, ngenxa yokuba umthenge ngexabiso.
 31 Ukuba unekhoboka, libongoze njengomzalwana; kuba lifuneka ngalo, njengomphefumlo wakho. ukuba uthe wamphatha kakubi, wabaleka wemka kuwe, ungahamba ngayiphi na indlela ukuba umfune?

ISAHLUKO 34

1 Ukuthemba komntu oswele intliziyo ngamampunge, kuyinkohlakalo; Ke amaphupha aphakamisa izinyabi.
 2 Owagecinayo amaphupha ufana nomntu othimbela ethunzini, osukelana nomoya.
 3 Umbono wamaphupha yimfano yento enye, umfanekiselo wobuso ngobuso.
 4 Yintoni na enokuhlanjululwa kwinto eyinqambi? nakweso senzo sibubuxoki, yeyiphi na inyaniso engaphuma?
 5 Ukuvumisa namatola, namaphupha, amampunge;
 6 Ukuba abathunywa nguPhezukonke ekuveleni kwakho, musa ukunyamekela intliziyo yakho kubo.
 7 Kuba abaninzi balahlekiswa ngamaphupha, baqhawuke nabakholose ngawo.
 8 Umyalelo ugqibelele kungekho buxoki;
 9 Umntu ohambahambayo wazi izinto ezininzi; Ke yena onamava uxela ubulumko.
 10 Ongenalwazi wazi kancinane; Ke yena umhambi unengqondo.
 11 Ekuhambeni kwam ndabona izinto ezininzi; kwaye ndiyaqonda ngaphezu kokuba ndikwazi ukuvakalisa.

12 Ndandisisisulu sokufa futhi, kodwa ndihlangulwe ngenxa yezo zinto.
 13 Umoya wabamoyikayo uYehova uya kuphila; ngokuba ithemba labo likulowo ungumsindisi wabo.
 14 Omoyikayo uYehova akoyiki, akayi kunkwantya; ngokuba ulithemba lakhe.
 15 Hayi, uyolo lomphefumlo womoyikayo uYehova; Ngubani na ke amandla akhe?
 16 Ngokuba amehlo kaYehova aphezu kwabo bamthandayo, uyingxonde kubo, uyingxonde yomkhosi wabo, uyingxonde ebushushwini, uyingxonde emini enkulu, ungumhlanguli ekukhubekeni, ungumhlanguli ekuweni.
 17 Uphakamisa umphefumlo, awakhanyisele amehlo; Ulonika impilo, ubomi, nentsikelelo.
 18 Obingelela into ebanjwe ngobugqwetha, ulihlazo idini lakhe; Nezipho zabangenabulungisa azisamkelwa.
 19 Osenyangweni akakholiswa ngumnikelo wabangendawo; kananjalo akacanyagushelwa ngenxa yesono ngamadini amaninzi.
 20 Osondeza umsondezo wempahla yehlwempu, wenza njengoxabela unyana phambi kwamehlo kayise.
 21 Isonka sehlwempu ngumphefumlo walo; Omqhathayo yindoda yamagazi.
 22 Othabatha ummelwane wakhe umphefumlo wakhe uyambulala yena; Omqhathayo umqeshwa wakhe, ngumphalazi wegazi.
 23 Xa umntu esakha, omnye ke echitha, banalungelo lini na ingekuko ukubulaleka kwabo?
 24 Xa sukuba ethandaza, omnye atshabhise, lova ilizwi likabani na uYehova?
 25 Othe wahlamba emva kokuchukumisa isidumbu, ukuba uthe waphinda wasichukumisa, bekuya kuba yintoni na ukuhlanjwa kwakhe?
 26 Unjalo umntu ozila ukudla ngenxa yezono zakhe, abuye enze kwaeso; ngubani na oya kuwuba umthandazo wakhe? Kumnceda ntoni na ukuzithoba kwakhe?

ISAHLUKO 35

1 Owugcinayo umyalelo uzisa imibingelelo eyaneleyo;
 2 Obuyisela ingeniso wenze umgubo ocoliweyo; nonikela amalizo ubingelela indumiso.
 3 Likholekile kuYehova ukumka ebubini; nokulahla ubutshinga kusicamagushelo.
 4 Uze ungabonisi ulambatha phambi koYehova.
 5 Kuba zonke ezo zinto zimelwe kukwenziwa ngenxa yomthetho.
 6 Umnikelo welungisa utyebisa isibingelelo; ivumba lalo elimnandi liphambi koPhezukonke.
 7 Wamkelekile ke umbingelelo welungisa; nesikhumbuzo sawo asisayi kulityalwa.
 8 Mnike uYehova uzuko lwakhe ngeliso elilungileyo, Ungayinciphisi intlahlela yezandla zakho.
 9 Eziphelweni zakho zonke bonakalalisa ubuso obuchwayitileyo, Isishumi sakho sinikelwe ngovuyo.
 10 Mnike Osenyangweni njengoko wakuqhayisileyo; njengoko uzuzileyo, mnike ngeliso eliphilileyo.
 11 Kuba uYehova uya kuvuza, akunike kasixhenxe.
 12 Musani ukucinga ngokonakalisa ngeziphoo; kuba abanjalo akayi kubamkela; kuba uYehova ngumgwebi, kuye akakhethi buso.
 13 Akayi kusabela nanini na kwihlwempu; umthandazo wotyunyuziweyo uya kuwuba.

14 Utarhuzisa kwenkedama akawucekisi; nomhlokokazi xa ephalaza inkalazo yakhe.

15 Azezeli na iinyembezi ezidleleni zomhlokokazi? Asikuko na ukukhalela kwakhe lowo ubawisayo?

16 Omkhonzayo uYehova uya kwamkeleka, nomthandazo wakhe ufikelele esibhakabhakeni.

17 Umthandazo wabathobekileyo ugqobhoza amafu; angemki, ade abone Osenyangweni, agwebe ngobulungisa, enze okusesikweni.

18 Ngokuba iNkosi ayiyi kucotha, akabanga nomonde kubo uSomandla, ade abatyumze esinqeni abangenanceba, ayibuyisele impindezelo ezintlangeni; ade ayithabathe ingxokolo yabanekratshi, Aphule intonga yabangemalungisa;

19 ade amnike ulowo ngokwezenzo zakhe, nangokwemisebenzi yabantu ngokweengcinga zabo; ade aligwebe ityala labantu bakhe, Abavuyise ngenceba yakhe.

20 Inceba ifanelekile ngexesha lembandezelo, njengamafu emvula ngexesha lembalela.

ISAHLUKO 36

1 Sibabale, Nkosi yam, Thixo wezinto zonke, usikhangele;

2 Uthume ukunkwantya kwakho kuzo zonke iintlanga ezingakufuniyo.

3 Phakamisa isandla sakho ezintlangeni, Ziwabone amandla akho.

4 Njengoko wangcwaliswayo kuthi phambi kwabo, wenziwa mkhulu phakathi kwabo phambi kwethu.

5 Mabakwazi, njengoko sikwazile wena, ukuba akukho Thixo ingenguwe wedwa, Thixo.

6 Xelani imiqondiso emitsha, nenze imisebenzi eminye ebalulekileyo, zukise isandla sakho, nengalo yakho yokunene, Bancokole ngemisebenzi yakho ebalulekileyo.

7 Phakamisa ingqumbo, uphalaze ubushushu;

8 Zimisele ixesha elifutshane; khumbula umnqophiso, Baxele imisebenzi yakho ebalulekileyo.

9 Osindileyo makagqitywe ngumsindo womlilo; mabatshabalale abo bacinezela abantu.

10 Baxabeleni abathetheli beentlanga, Abathi, Akukho bambi ngaphandle kwethu.

11 Zihlanganiseni ndawonye zonke izizwe zakwaYakobi, Nizidle ilifa njengokwasekuqaleni.

12 Camagu, Nkosi yam, ngenxa yabantu ababizwa ngegama lakho, noSirayeli, lowo ke uthe waba ngumazibulo wakho.

13 Owu yiba nenceba kuyo iYerusalem, isixeko sakho esingcwele, indawo yakho yokuphumla.

14 Yizalise iZiyon ngezihlabo zakho, nabantu bakho ngozuko lwakho;

15 Bangqine abo unabo kwasekuqalekeni, uvuse abaprofeti ababesegameni lakho.

16 Bavuze abakulindileyo, abaprofeti bakho bafunyanwe bethembekile.

17 Owu Nkosi, yiva umthandazo wezicaka zakho, ngokwentsikelelo ka-Aron phezu kwabantu bakho, ukuze bonke abo bahleli phezu komhlaba bazi ukuba wena uyiNkosi, uThixo wanaphakade.

18 Isisu siya kugiba konke ukudla;

19 Ikhuhlangubo liva iintlobo ngeentlobo zenyamakazi;

20 Intliziyo ejibilikileyo yenza ububi;

21 Umfazi uya kwamkela yonke indoda, ukanti intombi ilunge ngaphezu komnye.

22 Ubuhle bomfazi buyabuvuyisa ubuso;

23 Ukuba kukho ububele, ubulali, nentuthuzelo, elulwimini lwakhe, indoda yakhe ayifani nabanye abantu.

24 Ozeke umfazi uqala ilifa lakhe, Uncedo olufana nelwakhe, nentsika yokuphumla.

25 Apho kungekho luthango, liyabhuqwa ilifa; Ongenamfazi uya kubhadula esenza isijwili.

26 Ngubani na ongathembela kwisela elimisiweyo, liphuma litsibela emzini? Ngubani na okholwayo kwindoda engenandlu, ize ilale naphi na apho ubusuku ibambeke khona?

ISAHLUKO 37

1 Wonke umhlobo uthi, Ndingumhlobo wakhe;

2 Isijwili asisiso na esa ekufeni, Xa iqabane elingummelwane lijikela elutshabani?

3 Uza kungena phi na, uligqubuthela ihlabathi ngenkohliso?

4 Kukho iqabane elivuyelela ukulunga komhlobo;

5 Kukho iqabane elincedisana nommelwane walo esiswini, Liphakamise ingweletshetshe phambi kotshaba.

6 Musa ukumlibala ummelwane wakho entliziyweni yakho, Ungamlibali ebutyebini bakho.

7 Bonke abacebisi bayayiphakamisa icebo; ukanti ke kukho ozicebisayo.

8 Zilumkeleni umcebisi, nizazi ngenxa engaphambili into ayisweleyo; ngokuba uya kuceba ngokwakhe; hleze akuwile iqashiso;

9 athi kuwe, Ilungile indlela yakho;

10 Musa ukucebisa nomntu okukrokrisayo;

11 Ungaze ubuze emfazini unokumchukumisa, abekhweleta ngaye; kungekho negwala kwimibandela yemfazwe; okanye nomrwebi mayela nonaniso; okanye nomthengi othengisayo; okanye indoda enombulelo; kwanakwindoda engenanceba, inceba; Kwanakwivila nakuwuphi na umsebenzi; nokuba ngumqeshwa umnyaka wokugqiba kwakhe; kwanokuba kukho isicaka esingevayo;

12 Kodwa ngamaxesha onke yiba nendoda enobuthixo, oyaziyo ukuyigcina imiyalelo yeNkosi, engqondo yayo ikwingqondo yakho, kwaye iya kuba buhlungu kunye nawe, ukuba uthe waphunyelwa sisisu.

13 Malime icebo lentliziyo yakho, Ngokuba akukho namnye uthembekileyo kuwe, ngaphezu kwalo.

14 Kuba umphefumlo womntu okunene uya kumxelela abalindi abangaphezu kwesixhenxe, abahlala phezu kwenqaba ephezulu.

15 Ngaphezu kwako konke oko, thandaza kOsenyangweni, ukuba ayilungelelanise indlela yakho ngenyaniso.

16 Mayihambe ingqiqo phambi kwawo wonke ushishino, Necebo phambi kwayo yonke into.

17 Inkangeleko iluphawu lokutshintsha kwentliziyo.

18 Kuvela iindlela ezine zezinto ezilungileyo nezingendawo, ubomi nokufa;

19 Kukho osisilumko, wafundisa abaninzi, ukanti akananzuzo yena.

20 Kukho othetha ubulumko ngokuthetha, ethiwiwe; uswela konke ukudla.

21 Kuba akababalwanga yiNkosi, kuba uhluthiwe kubo bonke ubulumko.

22 Omnye usisilumko kwawakhe; Neziqhamo zokuqonda ziyancomeka emlonyeni wakhe.

23 Umntu osisilumko uyabayala abantu bakhe; Ke yona isiqhamo sokuqonda kwakhe asipheli.

24 Osisilumko uya kuhluthwa ziintsikelelo; Bonke abambonayo baya kubalela enoyolo.
 25 Inokubalwa imihla yobomi bomntu, Ke yona imihla kaSirayeli ayinakubalwa.
 26 Isilumko siya kulidla ilifa uzuko phakathi kwabantu baso, Negama lakhe libe ngunaphakade.
 27 Nyana wam, wucikide umphefumlo wakho ebomini bakho, ukuba ubone ububi babo, ungabuniki.
 28 Kuba zonke izinto azibalungele abantu bonke;
 29 Musani ukungahluthi nakweyiphi na into enqabileyo;
 30 Kuba ukugqithisela kwesidlo kubangela isifo, kwaye ukunxanelwa kuya kuguquka.
 31 Baninzi abatshabaleleyo ngokugonyamela; ke yena ozingcayo uyawongeza ubomi bakhe.

ISAHLUKO 38

1 Beka igqirha ngokumhlonela ngokumfaneleyo, ngenxa yoncedo eninokuba nalo kuye, ngokuba iNkosi yamdala.
 2 Ngokuba koPhezukonke kuza ukuphiliswa, ozuza uzuko kukumkani.
 3 Ubuchule bogqirha boyiphakamisa intloko yakhe, Umangaliswe emehlweni abakhulu.
 4 INkosi idale amayeza ehlabathini; Umntu osisilumko akacekisi ngabo.
 5 Amanzi enziwa mnandi na ngomthi, ukuze baziwe nokulunga kwawo?
 6 Ubaqeqeshe abantu ukuba bazukiswe ngemisebenzi yakhe ebalulekileyo.
 7 Uphilisa abantu ngezo zinto, azisuse neentlungu zabo;
 8 Ungcibi wenza intlala yezo zinto; ayinasiphelo imisebenzi yakhe; kwaye luphuma kuye uxolo emhlabeni wonke.
 9 Nyana wam, musa ukuyekelela esifeni sakho; thandaza kuYehova wokusindisa.
 10 Suka esonweni, uzimise ngokuthe tye izandla zakho, uyihlambulule intliziyo yakho ebubini bonke.
 11 Yenzani ivumba elithozamisayo, nesikhumbuzo somgubo ocoliwewo; nenze idini elityebileyo, ingenguwo.
 12 Mnike indawo igqirha, ngokuba uYehova umdalile; makangemki kuwe, ngokuba uyafuneka kuye.
 13 Kukho ixesha apho ezandleni zabo kukho impumelelo elungileyo.
 14 Kuba kananjalo baya kuthandaza kuYehova, ukuba akuphumelelise oko bakunikayo ukukhululeka nokuphilisa, ukuba wongeze ubomi.
 15 Lowo wonayo phambi koMenzi wakhe, makawe esandleni sogqirha.
 16 Nyana wam, mazihle iinyembezi phezu kwabafuleyo, uze uqale ukumbambazela, ngokungathi ubuve ubunzima obukhulu ngokwakho; andule ke awugqubuthele umzimba wakhe ngokwesiko, ungakushiya ukungcwatywa kwakhe.
 17 Lila kakrakra, uncwine kakhulu, wenze isijwili, ngokufaneleyo;
 18 Ngokuba kuphuma umvandedwa ukufa;
 19 Ebubini kuhleli umvandedwa; Ke wona umphefumlo wosweleyo sisiqalekiso sentliziyo.
 20 Musani ukuba buhlungu entliziweni;
 21 Musa ukukulibala, ngokuba akukho kubuya umva; uze ungamenzeli okulungileyo;
 22 Khumbula amasiko am, ngokuba koba njalo nawe; Izolo kum, nanamhla kuwe.

23 Ekuphumleni kofuleyo, masiphumle isikhumbuzo sakhe; nithuthuzeleke ngenxa yakhe, ekumkeni koMoya wakhe kuye.
 24 Ubulumko bomntu ofundileyo buphuma emlonyeni wolonwabo;
 25 Angáthini na ukubuzuzo ubulumko obambe ikhuba, oqhayisa ngeemviko, aqhube iinkomo, asebenze emigudwini yazo, othetha iinkunzi zenkomo?
 26 Intliziyo yakhe yenza iifolo; uyawanika iinkomo ukudla kwenkomo.
 27 Ngako oko wonke umchweli nomsebenzi, esebenza ubusuku nemini, nabaqingqili, batywine, banyathele ukwenza izinto ezininzi, bazinikele emifanekisweni yobuxoki, balinde ukugqiba umsebenzi;
 28 Ingcibi, ehleli ngasentsimbini, ekusetyenzwa kwesinyithi, amafu omlilo aya kuyidla inyama yakhe, alwe nokuvutha komlilo; Amehlo asawubona umfanekiso wento ayenzayo; uzimisele ukuwenza umsebenzi wakhe, akhangele ukuba awukhazimlise.
 29 Ube njalo umbumbi ehleli emsebenzini wakhe, eyijika ivili ngeenyawo zakhe, ewusebenza rhoqo umsebenzi wakhe, ewenza wonke umsebenzi wakhe ngenani.
 30 Wenza udongwe ngengalo yakhe, ugoba amandla akhe phambi kweenyawo zakhe; uzimisele ukuyikhokela; uphosekile ukuba alihlambulule iziko;
 31 Bonke aba bakholose ngezandla zabo;
 32 Ngaphandle kwezi zinto akuyi kumiwa mzi, akuyi kuhlala apho uthanda khona, akuyi kuhla unyuka;
 33 Abayi kufunwa kucweyo, bangahlali ebandleni, bangahlali esihlalweni sokugweba, bengasiqondi isiko lesigwebo, abanakuxela ubulungisa nokusesikweni; kwaye abayi kufunyanwa apho kuthethwa khona ngemizekeliso.
 34 Kodwa baya kuyigcina imo yehlabathi, kwaye wonke umnqweno wabo usemsebenzini wobugcisa babo.

ISAHLUKO 39

1 Ke yena othe wanikela ingqondo yakhe emthethweni woSenyangweni, abe ecamngca ngawo, uya kufuna ubulumko bamadoda amakhulu onke, azixakekise ngokuprofeta.
 2 Uya kuwagcina amazwi amadoda adumileyo;
 3 Uya kufuna iimfihlakalo zentetho, Asuke ahambe ngemizekeliso emnyama.
 4 Uya kukhonza phakathi kwabakhulu, abonakale phambi kwabathetheli; kuba yena wakuzahlula phakathi kwabantu okulungileyo nokubi.
 5 Woyinikela intliziyo yakhe ukuba abhenele kwakusasa kuYehova owamenzayo, athandaze koSenyangweni, awuvule umlomo wakhe, athandazele izono zakhe;
 6 Iya kuzaliswa ngumoya wokuqonda iNkosi enkulu, ithulule ingqiqo, ibulele kuYehova emthandazweni wayo.
 7 Uya kulilungisa iqhinga lakhe nokwazi, Ucamanga ucweyo lwakhe.
 8 Wobazisa ke oko akufundileyo, aqhayise ngomyalelo womnqophiso weNkosi.
 9 Abaninzi baya kuyincoma ingqondo yakhe; kwaye okoko nje ihlabathi linyamezele, aliya kucinywa; asiya kumka isikhumbuzo sakhe, negama lakhe liya kuphila kwizizukulwana ngezizukulwana.
 10 Iintlanga ziya kuxela ubulumko bakhe, Nebandla lixele indumiso yakhe.

11 Ukuba uthe wafa, woshiya igama elikhulu ngaphezu kwewaka;

12 Ndisenezinto ezininzi zokuthetha, endizicingelayo; kuba ndihluthi njengenyanga ezeleyo.

13 Phulaphulani kum, nina bantwana bangcwele, nidubule njengentyatyambo ephuma emlanjaneni wasendle.

14 nenze ivumba elithozamisayo njengentlaka emhlophe, nichume njengenyibiba;

15 Lizukiseni igama lakhe, nivakalise indumiso yakhe ngeengoma zomlomo wenu, nangeehadi, nimdumise, nitsho ngale ndlela.

16 Yonke imisebenzi yeNkosi ilunge ngokugqithisileyo, kwaye nantonina ayiyalelayo iya kufezekiswa ngexesha elifanelekileyo.

17 kungabikho uthi, Yintoni na le nto? ngoba kutheni? ngokuba zonke ziya kufunwa ngexesha elililo, ngomlomo wakhe amanzi emi njengemfumba, ngelizwi lomlomo wakhe aba yimiphanda yamanzi.

18 Ngomthetho wakhe kwenziwa konke okukholekileyo kuye; akukho bani unokuthintela, xa athe wasindisa.

19 Imisebenzi yenyama yonke iphambi kwakhe, akukho nto inokufihlakala emehlweni akhe.

20 Ubona ukususela kwaphakade kude kuse ephakadeni; akukho nto imangalisayo phambi kwakhe.

21 Akufuneki ukuba umntu athi, Yintoni na le nto? ngoba kutheni? ngokuba zonke izinto uzenze ngokwazo.

22 Intsikelelo yakhe yawugubungela njengomlambo umhlaba owomileyo, wawunyakamisa njengoMnayile.

23 Njengoko wawaguqulayo amanzi aba mtyuba, ziya kubudla ilifa ubushushu bakhe iintlanga.

24 Njengoko zithe tye koyingcwele iindlela zakhe; kunjalo nje baba zizikhubekiso kongendawo.

25 Kuba izinto ezilungileyo zadakwa kwasekuqalekeni kokulungileyo; ngokunjalo okubi kuboni.

26 Izinto eziphambili kubomi bomntu ngamanzi, nomlilo, nesinyithi, netyuwa, nomgubo wengqolowa, nobusi, nobisi, negazi lomdiliya, neoli, nempahla yokunxiba.

27 Zonke ezo zinto zisingisa kukulunga kwabalungisayo, aboni benziwa ububi.

28 kukho imimoya edalelwe impindezelo, ebeka ngomsindo wayo imivumbo; ngexesha lentshabalalo bawaphalaza amandla abo, Bamdambisa ubushushu boMenzi wabo.

29 Umlilo, nesichotho, nendlala, nokufa, zonke ezi zadalelwa impindezelo;

30 Amazinyo amarhamncwa, noonomadudwane, neenyoka, nekrele eligweba abangendawo ukuba batshabalale.

31 Baya kugcoba ngomyalelo wakhe, kwaye baya kuba belungile emhlabeni, xa kuyimfuneko; kwaye xa ixesha labo lifikile, abayi kuligqitha ilizwi lakhe.

32 Kungoko ndagqibayo kwasekuqalekeni, ndacinga ngezi zinto, ndaziyeke;

33 Yonke imisebenzi kaYehova ilungile; Unika zonke iintswelo zakhe ngexesha elililo.

34 Ke ngoko kungabi nakuthi umntu, Oku kubi kunoko; kuba ekuhambeni kwexesha bonke baya kwamkelwa kakuhle.

35 Ngako oko mbongeni uYehova ngentliziyo iphela, nangomlomo uphela, nilibonge igama likaYehova.

ISAHLUKO 40

1 Udalelwa umzamo omkhulu kumntu wonke; idyokhwe enzima iphezu koonyana baka-Adam, kususela kwimini yokuphuma kwabo esizalweni sonina, kude kube yimini yokubuyela kwabo kunina weento zonke.

2 Ukucinga kwabo ngezinto eziza kwenzeka, kwanomhla wokufa bakhwankqisa iingcamango zabo, babangela uloyiko lwentliziyo.

3 Kulowo uhleli etroneni yozuko, Kulowo uthotyweyo emhlabeni naseluthuthwini;

4 Lowo uthiwe wambu ezimfusa, nesithsaba, kowathi wambu ngelinen ecikizekileyo.

5 Ingqumbo, nobukhwele, imbandezelo, nokuzola, nokoyika ukufa, nomsindo, nengxabano;

6 Ukuphumla kwakhe kancinane nokuba akukho, athi emveni koko alale ebuthongweni, abe njengemini yokulinda, ekhwankqiswe ngombono wentliziyo yakhe, ngathi usindile ekulweni.

7 Kwakuba kuhle, uyavuka, othuswe kukuba akukho unkwantya.

8 Iyahlelwa ke inyama yonke, nabantu, besa nakwinkomo;

9 Ukufa, negazi, neenkani, nekrele, nobubi, nendlala, nembandezelo, nendykitya yokufa;

10 Ezo zinto zidalelwe abangendawo, noNogumbe weza ngenxa yabo.

11 Zonke izinto ezisehlabathini ziya kubuyela emhlabeni, nento esemanzini ibuyeke elwandle.

12 Kuya kucinywa konke ukunyoba, nobugqwetha;

13 Impahla yabangendawo iya koma njengomlambo, iphele ngesandi njengendudumo yemvula.

14 Ekusivuleni kwakhe isandla sakhe uya kuvuya;

15 Oonyana bongendawo abayi kuvelisa amasebe amaninzi;

16 Ukhula olukhula phezu kwamanzi onke nodonga lomlambo luya kuncothulwa phambi kwayo yonke ingca.

17 Indyebo injengomyezo ochumayo, Inceba ingunaphakade.

18 Ukubulaleka nokuhlutha zizinto zomntu bubomi obumnandi;

19 Oonyana nokwakhiwa komzi kuqhubana negama lendoda; Ke yena umfazi ogqibeleleyo ubalelwa kuzo zombini.

20 Iwayini nengoma zivuyisa intliziyo; Ke ukuthanda ubulumko kuphezu kwazo zombini.

21 Ugwali nomrhubhe lubetha kamnandi;

22 Iliso lakho linqwenela ukuhomba nokuhomba, Ngaphezu kwengqolowa, xa iluhlaza.

23 Umhlobo neqabane abakhe badibane; kodwa ngaphezu kwabo bobabini ngumfazi endodeni yakhe.

24 Abazalwana noncedo lukwixesha lembandezelo;

25 Igolide nesilivere yomelela unyawo;

26 Ubutyebi namandla aphakamisa intliziyo; Ke ukoyika uYehova kuphezu kwazo zombini, akuswelekelwa kukoyika uYehova, akufuneki ncedo.

27 Ukoyika uYehova ngumyezo oqhamayo, Owugubungelayo ngaphezu kozuko lonke.

28 Nyana wam, musa ukuwubulala umphefumlo womngqibi; kuba ukufa kukulungele ngaphezu kokungqiba.

29 Ubomi bomntu okholose esithebeni somnye abubalelwa bomi; ngokuba ezingcolisile ngokudla kwabanye;

30 Kumnandi ukungqiba emlonyeni wendoda encentloni; Embilinini wayo kutsha umlilo.

ISAHLUKO 41

1 Kufa, hayi, ukuba krakra ukukukhumbula kwakho umntu ohleliyo ezintweni zakhe, emntwini ongenanto imkhathazayo, enempumelelo ezintweni zonke; inyama!
2 Owu kufa, samkelekile isigwebo sakho kumahlwempu, nakulowo uphelelwa ngamandla, lowo ukhoyo ngoku kwisizukulwana sokugqibela, kwaye ukhathazwa zizinto zonke, nakulowo uphelelwe lithemba, ephelelwe ngumonde!
3 Musa ukuwoyika umgwebo wokufa; khumbula abo babekho ngaphambi kwakho, nabasemva kwakho; ngokuba siso eso isigwebo sikaYehova phezu kwenyama yonke.
4 Yini na ke ukuba nikuchase ukuthanda koPhezukonke? akukho kuncinwa kwelabafileyo, ukuba uphile iminyaka elishumi, nokuba likhulu, nokuba liwaka.
5 Oonyana boni bangoonyana abangamasikizi, Abahamba ententeni yabangendawo;
6 Ilifa loonyana boni liya kutshabalala, Imbewu yabo ibe yingcikivo engunaphakade.
7 Oonyana bakhala ngoyise ongahloneli Thixo, ngokuba baya kungcikivwa ngenxa yakhe.
8 Yeha nina, bantundini abangahloneli Thixo, bawushiyileyo umthetho kaThixo Osenyangweni! ukuba nithe nanda, koba kukubhubha kwenu;
9 Ke ukuba nithe nazalwa, nozalelwa into entsha; ukuba nithe nafa, soba sisabelo senu isiqalekiso.
10 Baya kubuyela emhlabeni bonke abehlabathi;
11 Isijwili somntu sizunguleze emizimbeni yabo; igama elibi laboni liya kucinywa.
12 Likhangele igama lakho; kuba kuya kuhlala kuwe ngaphezu kwewaka lobuncwane obukhulu begolide.
13 Ubomi obulungileyo buneentsuku ezimbalwa; Igama elilungileyo lingunaphakade.
14 Bantwana bam, gcinani uqeqesho ngoxolo;
15 Ulungile umntu osifihlayo ukumatha kwakhe, Ngaphezu kobusithelisa ubulumko bakhe.
16 Ngoko yiba neentloni ngokwelizwi lam; kananjalo ayiqiniseki entweni yonke.
17 Yiba neentloni ngokuhenyuza phambi koyise nonina;
18 Lokukona phambi komgwebi nomlawuli; ubugwenxa phambi kwebandla nabantu; ngokuphathana ngokungekho sikweni phambi kweqabane lakho nomhlobo;
19 nobusela kwindawo ophambukele kuyo, nangenxa yenyano kaThixo, nomnqophiso wakhe; Wayame ngendololwane enyameni; nokucukuceza ukupha nokuthabatha;
20 nokuthi cwaka phambi kwabakubulisayo; ukukhangela kwihenyukazi;
21 ubususe ubuso bakho kumzalwana wakho; okanye ukuthabatha isabelo okanye isipho; okanye ukukhangela kumfazi wenye indoda.
22 okanye axhamle umkhonzazana wakhe, angasondeli esililini sakhe; okanye izinyeliso phambi kwezihlobo; wakuba unikile, uze ungancikivi;
23 nokuba kukuphindaphinda, nokuthetha kwakhona oko ukuvileyo; nokutyhilwa kweemfihlelo.
24 uya kuba neentloni ngenene, ubabalwe phambi kwabantu bonke.

ISAHLUKO 42

1 Musa ukuba nazintloni ngazo ezo;

2 ngomyalelo wOsenyangweni, nomnqophiso wakhe; nangomgwebo ukubagwebela abangahloneli Thixo;
3 Ukubalelana nabalingane bakho, nabahambi; nokuba lilifa lezihlobo;
4 netheko yesikali namatye okulinganisa; okanye ukufumana okuninzi okanye kancinane;
5 Nokuthengisa ngokungakhathali kwabarhwebi; yokulungiswa kakhulu kwabantwana; nokwenza icala lesicaka esikhohlakeleyo sophe.
6 Ukugcina kulungile, apho akhoyo umfazi onobubi; kwaye uvale apho kukho izandla ezininzi.
7 nikela zonke izinto ngenani nangobunzima; uze uzibhale phantsi zonke othe wakhupha, okanye othe wamkela.
8 Musa ukuba nazintloni ukuyazisa iziyatha, izidenge, namadoda amakhulu abambene nabaselula;
9 Uyise uyiphaphamele intombi, engazi bani; Nenkathalo yakhe isusa ubuthongo kuye, Ebutsheni bakhe, hleze intyantyambo yobudala bakhe; nokuba etshatile, hleze athiywe;
10 Ebuntombini bakhe, hleze azenze inqambi, amithe endlwini kayise; enendoda, ukuze angaziphathi kakubi; kuze ke, xa athe wemka, angabi ludlolo.
11 Yigcine intombi ephothiweyo, hleze ikwenze intlekisa ezintshabeni zakho, ube ngundaba-mlonyeni phakathi komzi, ube sisingcikivo phakathi kwezizwe, ukudanise phambi kwengxokolo.
12 Musani ukubona ubuhle benyama yonke, Ungahlali phakathi kwabafazi.
13 Kuba inundu kuphuma engutyeni;
14 Ilungile ihambo yendoda, ngaphezu kwenkazana enembeke; ndithi, inkazana enehlazo nongcikivo.
15 Ke kaloku ndiya kuyikhumbula imisebenzi kaYehova, Ndibalise endikubonileyo; Kumazwi kaYehova izenzo zakhe.
16 Ilanga elinika ukukhanya likhangela kuzo zonke izinto, kwaye umsebenzi wazo uzele bubuqaqawuli beNkosi.
17 INkosi ayibanikanga amandla abangcwele okuxela yonke imisebenzi yakhe ebalulekileyo, Eyayilungisileyo iNkosi, uSomandla, ukuze yonke into emiselwe uzuko lwayo, iqiniselwe.
18 Uphengulula anzongonzongo nentliziyo, Ubuqonde ubuqhophololo bazo;
19 Uxela izinto ezidluleyo, nezizayo, azityhile izinto ezifihlakeleyo.
20 Akukho nto isindayo kuye, Kungekho lizwi lifihlakeleyo kuye.
21 Uyivathise imisebenzi ebalulekileyo yobulumko bakhe, kususela kwaphakade kude kuse ephakadeni;
22 Hayi, ukunqweneleka kwayo yonke imisebenzi yakhe! nokuze umntu abone nokuba yintlantsi.
23 Zonke ke ezo zinto zidla ubomi, zihleli ngonaphakade, kuse kuzo zonke iindlela;
24 Zonke izinto zimbaxa omnye komnye; akenzanga nto ingagqibelelanga.
25 Inye into eseka okulungileyo okanye enye, kwaye ngubani na oya kuzaliswa ngokubona uzuko lwakhe?

ISAHLUKO 43

1 Iqhaya laphezulu, isibhakabhaka esiqaqambileyo;
2 Ilanga lathi ekuphumeni kwalo, lixela ukuphuma kwakhe isixhobo esibalulekileyo, umsebenzi wOsenyangweni.
3 Emini enkulu lomisa ilizwe;

4 Umntu ovuthela iziko uvutha ngumsindo, kanti ke ilanga liyazitshisa iintaba ngokuphindwe kathathu; ephefumla amafu omlilo, akhuphe imibane, afiphaze amehlo.

5 Mkhulu uYehova walenzileyo; Igidimela ilizwi layo kamsinya.

6 Inyanga nenyanga uyenze ukuba ibe ngumqondiso wamaxesha, nomqondiso welimiweyo.

7 Kuvela enyangeni umqondiso wemithendeleko, ukukhanya okuhlayo ekugqibeleleni kwakhe.

8 Inyanga leyo yathiywa ngegama lakhe, yanda ngokubalulekileyo ekuguqukeni kwayo, yaba sisixhobo semikhosi ephezulu, esibengezela esibhakabhakeni sezulu;

9 Ubuhle bezulu, ubukhazikhazi beenkwenkwezi, ivatho lokumkhanyisela emimangweni kaYehova.

10 Ngokomthetho woyiNgcwele baya kuma ngolungelelwano lwabo, bangatyhafi emilindweni yabo.

11 Wukhangeleni umnyama, nimdumise uMenzi wawo; intle kunene ekubengezeni kwayo.

12 Lilizunguleza izulu ngokwesangqa sobuqaqawuli, Izandla zoPhezukonke ziligobile.

13 Ngomthetho wakhe uliwisela phantsi ikhephu;

14 Ngako oko buyavuleka ubutyebi, Kuphaphazele amafu njengeentaka.

15 Ngamandla akhe amakhulu uqinisa amafu, nesichotho aqhaqheke.

16 Akubona yena iintaba ziyanyikima, ngokuthanda kwakhe kuphephetha umoya wasezantsi;

17 Isandi sendudumo siyalizamazamisa ihlabathi, ngokunjalo isaqhwithi sasentla nesaqhwithi.

18 Iliso liyamangaliswa bubuhle bobumhlophe balo;

19 Iqabaka eqabaka, njengetyuwa, uyigalela emhlabeni, ithi, Ukuba igalele, ilale encochoyini yeepali ezibukhali.

20 Kwakubon' ukuba kuvuthuza umoya obandayo wasentla, ajiyile amanzi aba ngumkhenkce, uhlala phezu kokubutha konke kwamanzi, uwabethe amanzi njengesikhuselo-sifuba.

21 Udla iintaba, uyitshise intlango, ubudle utyani njengomlilo.

22 Ukunyameka okukhoyo kweento zonke kufana nenkungu ekhawulezayo, ephuma umbethe emva kobushushu.

23 Ngecebo lakhe uwenzela amanzi anzongonzongo, atyale iziqithi kuwo.

24 Abahamba ngolwandle baxela ingozi yalo; yaye xa sisiva ngeendlebe zethu, siyamangaliswa.

25 Kuba kuyo kubakho imisebenzi emangalisayo, neentlobo ngeentlobo zezinto ezizitho zine, nezeeminenga.

26 Ngaye ukuphela kwazo kuya kubakho ukuphumelela, nazo zonke izinto zima ngelizwi lakhe.

27 Sisenokuthetha okuninzi, sibe sibe mbalwa;

28 Singathini na ukuba nako ukumkhulisa? ngokuba mkhulu kunemisebenzi yakhe yonke.

29 UYehova uyoyikeka, mkhulu kakhulu, namandla akhe angummangaliso;

30 Xa niyizukisa iNkosi, yiphakamiseni kangangoko ninako; ngokuba usaya kugqithisela ngokugqithileyo; ngokuba aninako ukuya kude.

31 Ngubani na ombonileyo, asixelele? ngubani na ongamenza mkhulu njengoko anjalo?

32 Kusekho izinto ezifihlakeleyo, ezinkulu kunezi; kuba sibonile imisebenzi yakhe embalwa.

33 Kuba iNkosi izenzile zonke izinto; ke yena owenceba umnike ubulumko.

ISAHLUKO 44

1 Makhe sibonge amadoda adumileyo, oobawo abasizalayo.

2 INkosi ibenzele uzuko olukhulu kwasentloko, ngamandla ayo amakhulu;

3 abathe balawula ezikumkanini zabo, amadoda abedume ngamandla, ecebisana ngengqondo, eprofeta;

4 Abathetheli babantu ngokwamacebo abo, nangokwazi kwabo ukwazi, balunge ebantwini, ngobulumko, nangobuchule, imiyalelo yabo.

5 Njengokufumanisa iingoma zomculo, kwaye bacengceleze iivesi ngokubhala:

6 amadoda azizityebi, axhobe ngobukroti, ahleli ngoxolo eminqubeni yawo;

7 Bonke aba babezukile kwizizukulwana zabo, kwaye kwaba luzuko lwamaxesha abo.

8 Kukho nabashiye igama ngasemva, ukuze iindumiso zabo zixelwe.

9 Kukho abathile abangenasikhumbuzo; abatshabalalayo, njengabangabangakho; baye baba ngathi abazanga bazalwe; nabantwana babo emva kwabo.

10 Ke aba babengamadoda anenceba, ababulungisa abulityalwanga.

11 Nembewu yabo iya kuhlala ililifa elilungileyo ngamaxesha onke, nabantwana babo bangaphakathi kumnqophiso.

12 Imbewu yabo ima iqinile, nabantwana babo ngenxa yabo.

13 Imbewu yabo iya kuhlala ngonaphakade, nozuko lwabo abuyi kucinywa.

14 Imizimba yabo ingcwatywe ngoxolo; ke igama labo lihleli ngonaphakade.

15 Abantu bobalisa ubulumko babo, Nebandla libalise indumiso yabo.

16 UEnoki wayikholisa iNkosi, waza watshintsha, engumzekelo wenguquko kuzo zonke izizukulwana.

17 UNowa wafunyanwa egqibelele, elilungisa; ngexesha lengqumbo wathatyathwa watshintsha ihlabathi; ngenxa yoko washiywa njengentsalela emhlabeni wakufika unogumbe.

18 Kwaye kwenziwa umnqophiso ongunaphakade kunye naye, ukuze yonke inyama ingabi satshabalala ngonogumbe.

19 UAbraham waye enguyise omkhulu wezizwe ezininzi;

20 owagcina umyalelo wOsenyangweni, wanqophisana naye, wawumisa enyameni yakhe umnqophiso; uthe akucikideka, wafunyanwa ethembekile.

21 Ngoko wamthembisa ngesifungo, ukuba uya kuzisikelela iintlanga ngembewu yakhe, amandisele njengothuli lomhlaba, ayinyuse imbewu yakhe njengeenkwenkwezi, ayidle ilifa, ethabathela elwandle ase elwandle; bethabathela emlanjeni besa ekupheleni kwelizwe.

22 Kwangokunjalo wakumisa ngoIsake, ngenxa ka-Abraham uyise, intsikelelo yabantu bonke, nomnqophiso, wayimisa entlokweni kaYakobi. Wambulela ngentsikelelo yakhe, wamnika ilifa, wabahlula izabelo zakhe; wabahlula phakathi kwezizwe ezilishumi elinazibini.

ISAHLUKO 45

1 Wakhupha kuye indoda enenceba, eyababalwa ngenceba kuyo yonke inyama, uMoses, intanda kaThixo, nabantu, esisikelelweyo isikhumbuzo sakhe.

2 Wamenza wafana nabangcwele, wamenza mkhulu, kangangkuba iintshaba zakhe zamoyika.

3 Ngelizwi lakhe wayiphelisa imisebenzi ebalulekileyo, wamenza wazukiswa emehlweni ookumkani, wamwisela umthetho ngabantu bakhe, wambonisa inxalenye yozuko lwakhe.

4 Wamngcwalisa ngokuthembeka kwakhe nobulali, wamnyula ebantwini bonke.

5 Wamphulaphula izwi lakhe, wamsa efini elimnyama, wamwisela umthetho phambi kobuso bakhe, umyalelo wobomi nokwazi, Ukuze amfundise uYakobi iminqophiso yakhe, USirayeli amasiko akhe.

6 Wamphakamisa uAron, indoda engcwele enjengaye, umzalwana wakhe, wesizwe sakwaLevi.

7 Wenza naye umnqophiso ongunaphakade, wamnika ububingeleli phakathi kwabantu; wamhombisa ngezivatho eziqambileyo, wamambesa ngengubo yokwaleka yozuko.

8 Wambeka phezu kwakhe uzuko olugqibeleleyo; Wamomeleza ngeengubo ezintle, nangebhulukhwe, nangengubo yokwaleka, ne-efodi.

9 Wamrhawula ngeerharnate, kwanamankenteza egolide amaninzi, ngenxa zonke;

10 Ngeengubo ezingcwele, zegolide, nesilika, nemisonto emsi nemfusa, umsebenzi oyimfakamfele womluki, kunye nesigcina-sifuba sesigwebo, neeUrim neeTumim;

11 ngengubo emfusa, ephothiweyo, umsebenzi wengcibi, aqingqwe amatye anqabileyo, aqingqwe, ngokwetywina, afakwe ngegolide, umsebenzi wengcibi yokuluka, ngombhalo okroliweyo wesikhumbuzo, ngokwenani lezizwe zakwaSirayeli.

12 Walubeka isithsaba segolide elunkontshweni, apho kwakrolwa khona ingcwele, isivatho sembeko, umsebenzi oxabiso likhulu, ngokunqweneleka kwamehlo, kokuhle, nokuhomba.

13 Bekungekho enjalo phambi kwakhe; akuzanga kunxitywe wasemzini, ibingabantwana bakhe kuphela, noonyana boonyana bakhe, yonke imihla.

14 Imibingelelo yabo yotshiswa kuphele imini ngemini amaxesha amabini;

15 UMoses wamngcwalisa, wamthambisa ngeoli engcwele; ubasikelele abantu egameni lakhe.

16 Wamnyula ebantwini bonke abadla ubomi, ukuba anikele kuYehova idini, ngesiqhumiso, nevumba elithozamisayo, ukuba abe sisikhumbuzo sokucamagushela abantu bakhe.

17 Wamnika imithetho yakhe, negunya emimiseleni yamasiko, Ukuba amfundise uYakobi izingqiniso, amcacisele uSirayeli ngomyalelo wakhe.

18 Oonyana bolunye uhlanga bamceba, bathetha ngaye entlango, amadoda angabecala likaDatan noAbhiron, nebandla likaKora, ngoburhalarhume nangobushushu.

19 Wakubona oko uYehova, kwaba kubi emehlweni akhe, bagqitywa ngobushushu bakhe;

20 Wamzukisa uAron, wamnika ilifa, wamabela iintlahlela zongenisele; ngokukodwa ke walungisa isonka saninzi.

21 Kuba badla kwimibingelelo kaYehova, awamnika yona yena nembewu yakhe.

22 Kodwa ezweni labantu akabanga nalifa, akabanga nasabelo phakathi kwabantu; ngokuba nguYehova ngokwakhe isabelo nelifa lakhe.

23 Owesithathu ebuqaqawulini nguPinehasi, unyana kaElazare, ngenxa enokuba ebenekhwele emoyikeni uYehova, wema ngentliziyo echwayithileyo;

24 Wenziwa ke umnqophiso woxolo, wokuba abe ngumphathi wengcwele nowabantu bakowabo, nokuba yena nembewu yakhe babe ngababingeleli ngonaphakade;

25 Ngokomnqophiso owenziwa noDavide unyana kaYese, wesizwe sakwaYuda, wokuba ilifa lokumkani libe lelembewu yakhe yodwa, ilifa lika-Aron libe lelembewu yakhe.

26 Ngamana uThixo wakunika ubulumko entliziyweni yakho, ukuba ubagwebe ngobulungisa abantu bakhe, ukuze ungatshitshiswa ukulunga kwabo, nozuko lwabo lube ngunaphakade.

ISAHLUKO 46

1 UYesu, unyana kaNave, wayeligorha ezimfazweni, waye walilandela likaMoses ngeziprofeto, owathi ngokwegama lakhe wenziwa waba mkhulu, ukuze abanyuliweyo bakaThixo basindiswe, waziphindezela impindezelo yeentshaba ezibavukelayo; ukuze awamise amaSirayeli elifeni lawo.

2 Hayi indlela awaba mkhulu ngayo uzuko, xa wathi waphakamisa izandla zakhe, waza watwabulula ikrele lakhe nxamnye nezixeko!

3 Ngubani na phambi kwakhe ome njalo? ngokuba uYehova wabazisela iintshaba zakhe kuye.

4 Ilanga belingabuyanga na ngamandla akhe? Ngaba imini enye ibingemibini na?

5 Wabiza uYehova Osenyangweni, Zakumxina iintshaba zakhe ngenxa zonke; yamva iNkosi enkulu.

6 Ngesichotho, ubugorha bamakrothi emfazwe, waziwisa imfazwe phezu kweentlanga; , waza wamlandela uSomandla.

7 Kananjalo nangemihla kaMoses wenza umsebenzi wenceba, yena noKalebhi unyana kaYefune, ngokulichasa ibandla, babathintela abantu esonweni, babaxolela abangendawo ekukrokreni.

8 Kwaye kumakhulu amathandathu amawaka abantu abahamba ngeenyawo, abo babini balondolozwa ukuba babangenise elifeni, nkqu kwilizwe eliqukuqela ubisi nobusi.

9 UYehova wamnika amandla uKalebhi, owasala naye, kwada kwasebuxhegweni bakhe;

10 ukuze bonke oonyana bakaSirayeli babone ukuba kulungile ukumlandela uYehova.

11 Ngokubhekisele kubagwebi, bonke ngabanye ngamagama, abantliziyo ingahenyuziyo, engabuyanga imke kuYehova, mayibongwe inkumbulo yabo.

12 Makahlume amathambo abo endaweni yabo, Liqhubeke igama lababekekileyo phezu kwabantwana babo.

13 USamuweli, umprofetiumprofeti kaYehova, intanda yeNkosi yakhe, wamisa ubukumkani, wabathambisa abantu bakowabo, abathetheli.

14 Waligweba ngomyalelo kaYehova, UYehova wamvelela uYakobi.

15 Ngokuthembeka kwakhe wafunyanwa engumprofeti wenyaniso, yaye ngelizwi lakhe wabonakala ethembekile embonweni.

16 Wabiza iNkosi, Ekuxinaniseni kwakhe iintshaba zakhe ngeenxa zonke, Enikela itakane elanyayo.

17 UYehova waduduma ezulwini, nesandi esikhulu salivakalisa ilizwi lakhe.

18 Wabatshabalalisa abathetheli baseTire, nabathetheli bonke bamaFilisti;

19 Uthe ke, ngaphambi kobuthongo obuninzi, wathetha phambi koYehova, nomthanjiswa wakhe, wathi, Andithabathanga nto yamntu, nembadada;

20 Kwaye emva kokufa kwakhe waprofetha, waza wambonisa ukumkani isiphelo sakhe, kwaye waliphakamisa ilizwi lakhe lisuka emhlabeni ngesiprofetho, ukuze aphelise inkohlakalo yabantu.

ISAHLUKO 47

1 Emveni kwakhe kwesuka uNatan ukuba aprofete, ngemihla kaDavide.

2 Njengoko asuswayo amanqatha ombingelelo woxolo, wenjenjalo ukunyulwa uDavide koonyana bakaSirayeli.

3 Wadlala neengonyama njengamatakane, Neebhere njengeemvana.

4 Akabulalanga na indofa, esemncinci? Akayisusanga na ingcikivo ebantwini, ekuliphakamiseni kwakhe isandla sakhe nelitye elikwinkwitshi, walichitha iqhayiya likaGoliyati?

5 Ngokuba unqula uYehova Osenyangweni; Wamnika amandla esandleni sakhe sokunene, ukuba alibulale elo gorha, wabaphakamisa uphondo lwabantu bakhe.

6 Bamzukisa ke abantu ngamawaka alishumi, bamdumisa ngeentsikelelo zeNkosi, ngokumnika isithsaba sokuhomba.

7 Waziphanzisa iintshaba zakhe ngeenxa zonke, wabaphanzisa amaFilisti ababandezeli bakhe, wasaphula isigodlo sawo unanamhla.

8 Emisebenzini yakhe yonke wamdumisa oyiNgcwele Osenyangweni; evuma iingoma ngentliziyo yakhe yonke, emthanda umenzi wakhe.

9 Wamisa phambi kwesibingelelo iimvumi, ukuze bavume iingoma zabo ngokuvumayo, nangokuvuma iingoma zabo imihla ngemihla.

10 Wabahombisa imithendeleko yabo, wawamisela amaxesha amisiweyo, kwada kwasekupheleni, ukuba badumise igama lakhe elingcwele, nokuvakalisa itempile kwakusasa.

11 UYehova wazisusa izono zakhe, waluphakamisa uphondo lwakhe ngonaphakade, Wamnika umnqophiso wookumkani, Netrone yozuko kwaSirayeli.

12 Emva kwakhe kwavela unyana osisilumko, Wahlala endaweni ebanzi ngenxa yakhe.

13 USolomon ubelawula ngexesha loxolo, ebekekile; ngokuba uThixo wamjikeleza ngeenxa zonke, ukuze ayakhe indlu egameni lakhe, ayilungise ingcwele yakhe ngonaphakade.

14 Ubulumkile kangakanani na kwasebutsheni bakho, Njengomsinga, uzele yingqondo!

15 Umphefumlo wakho waligubungela lonke ihlabathi, Wakuzalisa ngemizekeliso emnyama.

16 Lafikelela eziqithini igama lakho; ngenxa yoxolo lwakho waba yintanda.

17 Amangaliswa ngamazwe ngamazwe ngaweengoma, nemizekeliso, nemizekeliso, nemizekeliso, nokutolikwa kwakho.

18 Wabutha igolide njengenkcenkce, ukanti nesilivere yelotho wayandisa egameni leNkosi uYehova, ebizwa ngokuba yiNkosi, uThixo kaSirayeli.

19 Uwanqule amanye akho kubafazi, Ngomzimba wakho waba phantsi.

20 Wabudyobha ubuqaqawuli bakho, wayihlambela nembewu yakho, wawuxhokonxa ubushushu boonyana bakho;

21 Bahlukana ke ubukumkani, kwalawula umbuso onemvukelo kwaEfrayim.

22 Kodwa iNkosi ayiyi kuyilahla inceba yayo, ingatshabalali namnye umsebenzi wayo, ingatshabalali nembewu yabanyulwa bayo, ingayi kuyihlutha nembewu yalowo imthandayo; ngenxa yoko wayinika uYakobi amasalela. , ephuma kuye ingcambu eya kuDavide.

23 Walala ke uSolomon kooyise, wamshiya nembewu yakhe uRehabheham, ubudenge babantu, ongenangqondo, owabajikayo abantu ngecebo lakhe. Kananjalo ubekho uYarobheham unyana kaNebhati, owawoniso amaSirayeli, wambonisa uEfrayim indlela yesono;

24 Kwaye izono zabo zanda ngokugqithisileyo, kangangokuba bagxothwa baphuma elizweni.

25 Kuba babefuna bonke ububi, yada yabafikela impindezelo.

ISAHLUKO 48

1 Wesuka wema uEliya umprofeti njengomlilo; ilizwi lakhe lavutha njengesibane.

2 Wabahlisela indlala enzima, Wabanciphisa ngenzondelelo yakhe.

3 Ngelizwi likaYehova walivala izulu, waphinda wehlisa umlilo izihlandlo ezithathu.

4 Hayi, ubungangamsha bakho, Eliya, ngemimangaliso yakho! Ngubani na oqhayisayo njengawe?

5 owavusa umntu ofileyo ekufeni, Nomphefumlo wakhe kwelabafuleyo, Ngelizwi lOsenyangweni;

6 owabatshabalalisa ookumkani, Abanumzana elukhukweni lwabo;

7 owakuva ukukhalima kukaYehova eSinayi, naseHorebhe umgwebo wempindezelo;

8 owathambisa ookumkani ukuba baphindezele impindezelo, nabaprofeti bokulunga emva kwakhe;

9 eyathatyathwa ngesaqhwithi somlilo, enqwelweni yamashe omlilo.

10 Owamiselwa izohlwayo ngamaxesha awo, ukuze kuthomalalise ingqumbo yomgwebo weNkosi, ngaphambi kokuba ugqabhuke ubushushu, kwaye ayibuyisele intliziyo kayise kunyana, nokubuyisela izizwe zakwaYakobi.

11 Banoyolo abakubonayo, baleleyo eluthandweni; inene, siya kuphila.

12 Ke uEliya, ogqunywe sisaqhwithi, uElisha wazala ngumoya;

13 Akubangakho lizwi limoyisayo; waza emva kokufa kwakhe umzimba wakhe waprofeta.

14 Wenza imisebenzi ebalulekileyo ebomini bakhe, Ekufeni kwakhe imisebenzi yakhe yayibalulekile.

15 Kuko konke oko abantu abaguqukanga, ababuyanga ezonweni zabo, bada baphangwa, bafuduswa ezweni labo, bachithwachithwa emhlabeni wonke; kwasala abantu abambalwa, nomphathi endlwini kaDavide. :

16 inxenye yabo yenza oko kukholekileyo kuThixo, inxenye yazalisa izono.

17 UHezekiya wawunqabisa umzi wakhe, wangenisa amanzi esazulwini sawo;
 18 Ngexesha lakhe wenyuka uSaneribhe, wathumela uRabheshake, wasiphakamisa isandla sakhe eZiyon, waqhayisa ngekratshi.
 19 Zaza zangangcazela iintliziyo nezandla zabo, babindeka njengozalayo.
 20 Bayibiza ke yona iNkosi enenceba, bazolulela kuyo izandla zabo;
 21 Wawuxabela umkhosi wama-Asiriya, wasitshabalalisa isithunywa sakhe.
 22 Ngokuba uHezekiya wayekwenzile okuthe tye emehlweni kaYehova, womelela ngendlela kaDavide uyise, njengoko uIsaya umprofeti, owayemkhulu, enyanisekile ngombono, wamwisela umthetho ngako.
 23 Ngexesha lakhe labuya umva ilanga, wabolula ubomi bokumkani.
 24 Wabona ngomoya omhle izinto eziza kuhla ekupheleni, wabathuthuzela abo benza isijwili eZiyon.
 25 Waxela okuya kubakho ngonaphakade, nezinto ezisitheleyo, nezingezizo ke.

ISAHLUKO 49

1 Isikhumbuzo sikaYosiya sinjengomxhesho womqholi, owenziwa ngumqholi; simnandi njengobusi emilonyeni yonke, sinjengengoma kwisidlo sewayini.
 2 Wahamba ethe tye ekujikeni kwabantu, Wawasusa amasikizi obugwenxa.
 3 Intliziyo yakhe wayibhekisa kuNdikhoyo, waza ke wazimisela ukunqula uThixo ngexesha lobubi.
 4 Bonke ngaphandle koDavide, noHezekiya, noYosiya, baphambuka, bawushiya umyalelo wOsenyangweni, nookumkani bakwaYuda basilelela.
 5 Ngenxa yoko wabanika abanye amandla abo, Nozuko lwabo kwabasemzini.
 6 Bawutshisa umzi ongcwele, onyuliweyo, bazenza kube senkangala izitrato ngokwesiprofeto sikaYeremiya.
 7 Bamenza ububi, obengumprofeti ke, ungwalisiwe esizalweni sonina, ukuze ancothule, acinezele, onakalise; nokuze akhe, atyale.
 8 YayinguHezekile owabona umbono ozukileyo, owaboniswa kuye ekhwele kwinqwelo yokulwa yeekerubhi.
 9 Wakhankanya iintshaba zakhe phantsi komfanekiselo wemvula, Waza wabayalela abathe tye.
 10 Masisikelelwe isikhumbuzo kubaprofeti abalishumi elinababini, abuye ahlume amathambo abo endaweni yabo;
 11 Singamenza mkhulu njani uZorobhabheli? ubengumsesane wokutywina ngasekunene.
 12 Kwakunjalo ke noYesu unyana kaYotsadaki, owayakhayo ngexesha labo indlu, wayimisela iNkosi itempile engcwele, yona yalungiselelwa uzuko olungunaphakade.
 13 Kwaye phakathi kwabanyuliweyo kwakukho uNehemiya, ogama lakhe lalilikhulu, owasiphakamisela iindonga eziwileyo, wawamisa amasango nemivalo, wawavusa kwakhona amanxuwa ethu.
 14 Kodwa phezu komhlaba kwakungekho mntu wadalwa njengoEnoki; ngokuba uthathiwe emhlabeni.
 15 Kwakungekho ndodana izalwe injengoYosefu, irhuluneli phakathi kwabazalwana bayo, ibambene phakathi kwabantu abamathambo abo ayegqalwe nguYehova.

16 USem noSete babezukile phakathi kwabantu; kananjalo uAdam wayephakame ngaphezu kwayo yonke indalo ephilileyo.

ISAHLUKO 50

1 USimon, unyana ka-Oniya, umbingeleli omkhulu, owabuya wayilungisa indlu yakhe ebomini bakhe, nasemihla yakhe wayiqinisa itempile;
 2 Kwaye kwakhiwa kuye ukususela esisekweni inqaba ephakamileyo yodonga lwetempile.
 3 Ngemihla yakhe iqula lokugalela amanzi, elibe lijikelezwe ngangolwandle, lagutyungelwa ngamacwecwe obhedu;
 4 Wayigcina itempile, ukuze ingawi, wawuqinisa umzi, ukuba ungawungqinga.
 5 Hayi, ubungangamsha bakhe phakathi kwabantu, ekuphumeni kwakhe engcwele?
 6 Waba njengekhwezi phakathi efini, nanjengenyanga ezeleyo.
 7 Njengokukhanya kwelanga phezu kwetempile yOsenyangweni, nanjengomnyama okhanyisela emafini aqaqambileyo;
 8 nanjengentyantyambo yeentyatyambo entwasahlobo, njengeenyibiba ngasemijelweni yamanzi, nanjengamasebe omthi wentlaka emhlophe ngexesha lasehlotyeni;
 9 njengomlilo nesiqhumiso kwingcedevu, nanjengesitya segolide ekhandiweyo, sibekwe ngamatye onke anqabileyo;
 10 Njengomnquma oyimpuluswa ovelisa isiqhamo, Njengomsipres ophuma esifini.
 11 Wathi akwambatha ingubo yokwaleka yembeko, eyambethe inzaliseko yobuqaqawuli, ekunyukeni kwakhe esibingelelweni esingcwele, wayizukisa ingubo engcwele.
 12 Wazithabatha izabelo ezandleni zababingeleli, wema ngaseziko lesibingelelo, ezunguleza, enjengomsedare oseLebhanon; zaye zimjikelezile ngeenxa zonke.
 13 Babenjalo bonke oonyana baka-Aron ebuqaqawulini babo, nemirhumo kaYehova isezandleni zabo phambi kwebandla lonke lamaSirayeli.
 14 ewugqiba umsebenzi wesibingelelo, ukuze awuhombise umsondezo wOsenyangweni;
 15 Wasolula isandla sakhe endebeni, waliphalaza igazi leediliya, waligalela emazantsi esibingelelo, ivumba elithozamisayo kuKumkani Osenyangweni.
 16 Baduma oonyana baka-Aron, bavuthela ngezigidlo zesilivere, bavakalisa isandi esikhulu selizwi, sisikhumbuzo yOsenyangweni.
 17 Bonke abantu bakhawuleza, bawa ngobuso emhlabeni, baqubuda eNkosini yabo, uThixo Osenyangweni.
 18 Kananjalo iimvumi zavuma ngamazwi azo, ngezandi ezahlukahlukeneyo zomculo omnandi.
 19 Baza abantu bambongoza uYehova Osenyangweni, ngokukhunga phambi kowababala, bada bagqitywa umthendeleko kaYehova, bawugqiba umsebenzi wakhe.
 20 Wehla ke, waziphakamisela izandla zakhe phezu kwebandla lonke loonyana bakaSirayeli, ukuba walithamsanqela uYehova ngomlomo wakhe, wagcoba egameni lakhe.
 21 Baza baqubuda ukuba baqubude okwesibini, ukuze bafumane intsikelelo yOsenyangweni.
 22 Ke ngoko, bongani uThixo wabo bonke, omenzi wemisebenzi ebalulekileyo ezindaweni zonke, othe

wayiphakamisa imihla yethu kwasesizalweni, nosiphethe ngokwenceba yakhe.

23 Wasinika uvuyo lwentliziyo, ukuze kubekho uxolo kwimihla yethu kwaSirayeli, kude kuse ephakadeni.

24 ukuze asiqinisele inceba yakhe, Asihlangule ngexesha lakhe!

25 Kukho iintlobo ezimbini zeentlanga intliziyo yam izicekiso;

26 abo bahleli entabeni yakwaSamari, nabahleli phakathi kwamaFilisti, nabantu abaziziyatha, abemi kwaShekem.

27 UYesu unyana kaSiraki waseYerusalem, usibhalile encwadini imfundo yengqondo nokwazi, owakhupha ubulumko entliziyweni yakhe.

28 Unoyolo oya kuqheliselwa kwezo zinto; Ke yena owugcine entliziyweni yakhe uya kuba sisilumko.

29 Kuba xa uthe wazenza, woba namandla ezintweni zonke; Malibongwe igama leNkosi ngonaphakade. Amen, Amen.

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1 Umthandazo kaYesu unyana kaSiraki. Ndiya kubulela kuwe, Nkosi yam, Kumkani, Ndibulele kuwe, Thixo ondisindiso: Ndiya kulidumisa igama lakho;

2 Ngokuba ungumkhuseli wam, ungumncedi wam, uwugcinile umzimba wam ekutshabalaleni, nasesirhintyweni solwimi oluhlebayo, nasemilebeni yobuxoki, ube ngumncedi wabandichasayo;

3 Wandihlangula, ngokobuninzi benceba yabo nobukhulu begama lakho, emazinyweni abo babesele beza kundiqwenga, nasesandleni sabo babefuna ubomi bam, nakwiimbandezelo ezininzi ezindiqwengayo. Ndibene;

4 ekukhatheni komlilo ngeenxa zonke, naphakathi komlilo, endingawubambiyo;

5 Ezantsi kwesisu selabafileyo, elulwimini olungcolileyo, nakumazwi obuxoki.

6 Ngenxa yokummangalela ukumkani, ngolwimi olugwenxa, umphefumlo wam wasondela ekufeni;

7 Bandirhawula, akwabakho mncedi; Ndathemba usindiso, akwabakho.

8 Ndacamngca ngenceba yakho, Yehova, nangezenzo zakho zamandulo, Ukuba ubahlangule abakulindileyo, Wabasindisa esandleni seentshaba.

9 Ndaziphakamisa emhlabeni izibongozo zam, ndathandazela ukuba ndikhululwe ekufeni.

10 Ndabiza uYehova, uYise weNkosi yam, ukuba angandishiya ngemihla yokubandezelwa kwam, nangexesha labakhukhumalisayo, xa kungekho ncedo.

11 Ndiya kuhlala ndilidumisa igama lakho, Ndivume ngengoma yombulelo; weva ke umthandazo wam.

12 Ngokuba wandisindisa enzonzobileni, Wandihlangula entweni embi, Ngenxa yoko ndiya kubulela, ndikudumise, Ndibonge, Yehova, igama lam.

13 Xa ndandiselula, okanye ndakha ndaya kwelinye ilizwe, ndandifuna ubulumko ngokuphandle emthandazweni wam.

14 Ndamthandazela phambi kwetempile, ndaza ndimfuna kwada kwasekupheleni.

15 Kususela entyantyambo, kuse ekuvuthweni kweediliya, intliziyo yam iyakholiswa yiyo;

16 Ndathoba indlebe yam kancinane, ndamamkela, ndafumana imfundo eninzi.

17 Ndincede mna, ngoko ndiya kuzukisa ondinika ubulumko.

18 Kuba ndagqiba kwelokuba ndimlandele, ndakuza ndakuza kulandela kulungileyo; ngoko andiyi kudana.

19 Umphefumlo wam wabambana naye, ndazimbambela izenzo zam;

20 Ndawubhekisa kuye umphefumlo wam, ndamfumana enyulu;

21 Ibibhinqile intliziyo yam ngokuyifuna; ngenxa yoko ndizuze ilifa elilungileyo.

22 INkosi indinike umvuzo wolwimi lwam, Ndimdumise ngalo.

23 Sondelani kum, nina bangafundile, nihlale endlwini yemfundiso.

24 Yini na ukuba nicothe, nithini na kwezi zinto, ninxaniwe nje imiphefumlo yenu?

25 Ndawuvula umlomo wam, ndathi, Zithengeleni yena ngaphandle kwemali.

26 Faka intamo yakho edyokhweni, Ulwamkele uqeqesho umphefumlo wakho;

27 Khangelani ngamehlo enu, ukuba ndiyabulaleka kancinane;

28 funda ngemali eninzi, Uze ufumane igolide kuye.

29 Mawuvuye umphefumlo wakho ngenceba yakhe, Ungadani ngendumiso yakhe.

30 Sebenza kwangexesha umsebenzi wakho, yaye ngexesha lakhe wokunika umvuzo wakho.